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Last Saturday week, May 21st, the Complimentary Dinner to the National Commandery of the Naval and Military Order of the Spanish American War, by the New York Commandery took place at Hotel Astor, when G. H. Mumm & Co's Selected Brut was the one champagne listed and used exclusively.

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PROTEST FROM COLONIAL OFFICE

New Canadian Regulations in Regard to Immigration Are Looked Upon As Too Drastic by Home Authorities

MONEY QUALIFICATIONS PLACED TOO HIGH

Opinions for and Against Are Expressed at Conference Called by Royal Colonial Institute in London

OTTAWA, May 31—A formal protest from the colonial office, through Earl Crewe, against the operation of the new Canadian immigration regulations has been received by the Government, and is now under consideration by the premier, who, in the absence of Hon. Frank Oliver, is acting minister of the interior. The Home Government intimates that the regulations, insofar as British immigration is concerned, ought to be relaxed. What is particularly objected to is the requirement that all immigrants, save those destined to farm employment, shall, in addition to being ticketed, have $75 in cash and a proportionate amount for each member in their families.

The order-in-council was passed some weeks ago, and the explanation of the department is that it is intended to prevent people becoming a charge upon the public on arriving in this country.

On the other side of the water they regard it as entirely too drastic in its operation, and calculated to keep out a desirable class of British people, particularly artisans, who are anxious to come to Canada, in many cases to assured employment, but who find the money qualifications too high

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Death of Noted Lumberman

CRANBROOK, B.C., May 31—The news of the sudden death of Archie Leitch, the dean of the lumbermen of the Interior, came as a shock on the people of Cranbrook yesterday. He had been around the city in his motor car in the morning and though he was not looking very well no one thought death was impending for him. He was buttoning his coat to go to lunch when he slipped to the floor of the morning room. When his son, Archie, lifted him up he was dead. His family, all of whom except Mrs. Edward Paterson(was present, could hardly realize what had happened. No arrangements of a positive character have been made with regard to the date of the funeral.

BRICK OF GOLD FROM OLD MINE

Queen Charlotte Property Once Worked by Hudson Bay Company Has Good Prospect of Satisfactory Profit

VANCOUVER, May 31.—The Queen Charlotte islands have sent their first gold brick to the Dominion assay office in this city, and indications are that many others will soon follow.

The brick represents one day's run of the five-stamp mill recently installed at the Early Bird free milling group, on the west coast of Moresby island. Its value is $400.

The property was acquired three years ago by John McLellan, a graduate of the London School of Mines, and F. J. Bourne, M. T., of Cobalt, Ont. Development consists of a 100 foot shaft and 250 feet of drifting. The shaft was sunk on a two inch stringer, which has now widened out in the lower workings to six inches. In places the vein gives phenomenal values, the gold literally encrusting the country rock. The vein has also been exposed on the surface for a distance of 250 feet.

The property was originally operated by the Hudson Bay Company in the late fifties, when it is claimed that $80,000 in gold was extracted from a rich pocket near the surface. The hole is still visible. There are also a number of undeveloped free milling claims in the same group.

Lake Workers' Strike

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 31—Demanding a twelve hour working day and holidays off, 100 members of the Great Lakes Towing Company quit work today. As a result, lake navigation in and out of Cleveland harbor is at a standstill, and passenger and freight steamers are tied up. The wage question does not enter into the controversy. Local tug men say the walk-out will become general along the great lakes.

Accused of Smuggling

NEW YORK, May 31—P. R. Lion, who is said to be the president or vice-president of several banks and corporations in Minneapolis, Minn., was held today after an examination before Acting Surveyor Smyth in the custom house, on the charge of smuggling two pearl necklaces, a brooch and gold watch, and was sent to Hoboken in custody of Inspector Timothy Donohue, to be arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Russ to have bail fixed.

GOOD WORK OF JUVENILE COURT

Winnipeg Institution Commends Itself to F. C. Wade, K.C.—Plea for Youths Now Confined in Reformatories

WINNIPEG, May 31.—F. C. Wade, K. C., of Vancouver, left for the East last night en route to Europe. While in Winnipeg he paid a good deal of attention to the workings of the juvenile court, and also secured the assistance of the Canadian Club in forwarding the project of building a Canadian monument to mark the grave of General Wolfe at Greenwich. The executive of the Canadian Club has recommended a contribution of five hundred dollars for the purpose.

Mr. Wade was particularly pleased with the juvenile court and detention building. The latter is a plain homelike structure surrounded by other residences. It has been found quite unobjectionable in every respect, and no neighbor would think of protesting against it. On the contrary every one is so enthusiastic over the working of the juvenile court here that there is every disposition to help it rather than put obstacles in its way, nor has there been any difficulty such as there was in Vancouver in the formation of advisory committees. The Children's Aid Society put forth no claim for representation, but was quite content to see a small committee appointed consisting of the mayor and some others, and quite ignoring their own association. During the last year, out of 503 cases dealt with, 261. or more than half, were successfully disposed of out of court. So far only about 5 per cent. have gone back to their old habits.

Hon. T. Mayne Daly, juvenile court judge, declares in his annual report that ninety-five per cent. of juvenile delinquents is due to improper home surrounding. One of the most important functions of the court is the instruction and disciplining of parents and others who influence the lives of the children, and to this is due in the main the great reduction in delinquency wherever juvenile courts are instituted. The superintendent of neglected children reports that during the year 26 boys have been released from the reformatory on parole, and only one has had to be returned.

As the reformatories have been filled under an old system of punishment now almost obsolete, and admittedly ill-judged and almost criminal in its stupid ferocity towards children, the sooner all reformatories are emptied on the parole system the better.

The King has signalized his succession by leniency to many old and hardened criminals why, asked Mr. Wade, should not Canada seize on the occasion to make amends for the enormous crimes committed against many children who are serving long terms for what are now regarded as trivial offences easily cured without imprisonment?

Railways Before Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, May 31 — An attempt to have the supreme court of the United States pass on the authority of common carriers engaged in interstate commerce to make "Jim Crow" regulations met with failure today when the court dismissed the so-called Chiles appeal from the docket. The court upheld the authority of the interstate commerce commission in issuing the order directing a reduction of the through freight rate from Chicago and from St. Louis to Denver, and sustained the validity of that order.

Dr. Charcot's Vessel

GUERNSEY, May 31—The Charcot Antarctic exploring vessel Pourquoi Pas anchored in the harbor today and reported all well.

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NEW YORK STATE REGULATES AUTOS

Bill Passed by Legislature Is Signed by Governor Hughes to License and Tax Cars and Chauffeurs

LARGE REVENUE EXPECTED FOR STATE

Heavy Penalties for Exceeding Speed Limits and for Running Away After Striking Any Person

ALBANY, N. Y., May 31.—Gov. Hughes today signed the Callan bill, providing for the registration of automobiles and the licensing of chauffeurs, a measure which it is estimated will yield an annual revenue to the state of about $2,500,000. Autos of 25 horespower or less are to be taxed $5, between 25 and 35 horsepower $10, between 35 and 50 horsepower $15, and $25 for all others except commercial vehicles, which are to be taxed a flat rate of $5. Chauffeurs are to pay an annual license fee of $5, and will be compelled to carry a licence containing their names, photographs and general description.

The new law goes into effect on August 1st. The new law permits a speed of thirty miles an hour in the country, but provides that at all times autos must be driven in a prudent manner. First class cities are authorized to fix speed limits. Speed in other cities, and villages must not exceed fifteen miles an hour. Each machine must have displayed at the front and rear on a placard at least fifteen inches long and in figures four inches high the number of the license, the color to be changed each year.

Three convictions of speed violation will render the license of a chaffeur void for not less than six months. A chauffeur may be imprisoned for a year for running a car while intoxicated. He may be fined $200, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment for running away after striking a person, and a second conviction of this offence renders him liable to imprisonment for not less than two years nor more than five years, no fine being permissible.

A fine of $100 is provided for a violation of speed limit, and the method of procuring bail is made easier. All fines and penalties collected are to be turned into the state treasury to be uesd for the repair and maintenance of state roads. A reciprocity clause gives owners of cars in other states the same privileges as those given New York motorists in their states.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL IN SPRING RIDGE

School Board Decides on Location in Gravel Pit Section on Terms to Be Still Accepted by the City Council

Spring Ridge will be the location of the new Victoria High School. At a special meeting of the school board at which a large deputation of Spring Ridge redidents were present as well as Mayor Morley and Aldermen Bannerman and Fullerton, represented the city council, the decision to locate the institution for higher education in what is popularly known as the gravel pit section was made. It was only on a very close vote the board splitting evenly on the question and it remained for Chairman Jay to swing the vote in favor of the site at Spring Ridge.

The matter came up in connection with a communication from the city clerk forwarding a resolution recently passed by the city council to the effect that on condition that the school board would contribute $30,000 towards the purchase of the site in Spring Ridge, "as shown on the attached map," the corporation would submit a bylaw to the ratepayers for the purpose of giving for such purpose the lots owned by the city in said site and would also contribute the balance of the required purchase money to the extent of $13,000, and further agree to grade the site according to the proposed grade made by the city engineer and also would remove all buildings at present on the site.

When the comunication was read the reference to the "attached map" started a search for the document but it was stated by the secretary that no map had been sent to the board by the city clerk. However, a map which Mayor Morley averred was a true map of the Spring Ridge section and the one intended to be sent the board was produced and accepted as such.

Mayor Morley advocated a curtailment in the original 11½ acres which had been urged upon the board. He argued that by running a roadway through Gladstone avenue to Grant street would cut down the site available for High School purposes to about 7½ acres which, he believed, would be fully large enough for all purposes. By such a roadway the site would be surrounded on all sides by a roadway and the balance of the 11½ acres which would be on the other side of the new roadway from the High School could be divided into lots on which building restrictions could be placed thus making it certain that there would never be any objectionable structures erected opposite the new institution.

Motion Proposed.

A lengthy discussion on the necessity of the city grading down the roadways and high school site, and supplying top dressing for the ground culminated in a motion submitted by Trustee Staneland to the effect that the resolution of the city council of May23 (that referred to above) be accepted by the board provided that the ground on which the high school building itself is to be erected, is levelled and placed at the disposal of the board on or before September 1 next, and the balance of the site be graded and completed on or before March 1, 1912, the city to undertake the work and pay the cost of covering the whole with a top dressing of six inches of clay and four inches of mould and level all contiguous streets to the grades as now on record in the office of the city engineer.

Trustee Staneland stated that at first

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Single Tax League

TORONTO, May 31.—A provincial Single Tax League, composed of all the minor organizations scattered about Ontario was formed at the Single Tax convention in the Guildhall this afternoon. The new organization will be known as the Tax Reform and Direct Legislation League of Ontario, and one of its chief objects will be to carry on active missionary work throughout the province. The president of the league is Wilson Southam, editor of the Ottawa Citizen.

BUILDING FIGURES DENOTE GROWTH

May Total Breaks Previous Record for Monthly Returns —Five Month's Figures Show Expansion

All monthly building records so far this year were beaten duding May, when permits for buildings aggregating in value $257,290 were issued by the building inspector, compared with $192,440 in the month of April and $244,760 in March, the highest month heretofore this year.

For the first five months of the year the aggregate value of the buildings for which pedmits have been issued was $975,235, compared with $699,080 for the corresponding period in 1909 and $446,770 in 1908. The figures this year show an increase of no less than 40 per cent. over those of a year ago, the increase indicating in the clearest manner possible the great growth of the city.

Of the month's total, the largest item is that of the addition to the Empress hotel, which calls for an expenditure of $125,000, while the permit for the G. T. P. wharves called for an expenditure of $12,500. Two dwellings, one for H. Bowen for $20,000, and the other for E. M. Tracksell for $10,500, swelled the month's total.

The monthly returns for the year to date as compared with the same months in the two previous years were as follows:

Month	1910	1909	1908
January ..	$128,985	$ 78,080	$ 54,275
February .	151,760	122,680	72,325
March	244,760	121,640	110,800
April	192,440	188,060	129,625
May	257,290	188,620	79,295
Ttl., 5 mos.	$975,235	$699,080	$446,770

The above figures take no account of the building operations in progress in Esquimalt, Oak Bay and portions of Saanich adjoining the city, in each of which distdicts the building activity is pronounced. In "Greater Victoria" the year is proving a record one from the building standpoint, and all previous figures are being monthly badly shattered.

Yesterday permits were issued by the building inspector to H. M. Cowped for a dwelling to be erected on Powell street to cost $1,600; to Mrs. Rudlin for additions to dwelling on Chambers street, to cost $175, and to A. McCrimmon for alterations to a store in the London block, Broad street, which will be made into a theatre, to be known as the Crystal theatre, the alterations calling for an expenditude of $3,000.

TALKING OF SEALS

New York Paper Gives Its Opinion on Report that Treaty Is Nearly Agreed Upon.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The Evening Globe says: "Brief and lacking in detail as is the the report that a sealing treaty between the United States, Canada, Russia and Japan has been practically concluded, the mere statement that it is all but agreed to stop pelagic fishing in the North Pacific ocean for a long term of years is enough to cause profound satisfaction.

"If it is true that the unqualified consent of other nations, particularly Japan, has been obtained to the restriction or prohibition so long and earnestly desired in this country, it may be that extermination of the seal herds is not to become complete.

"If this agreement is not reached, the early extermination of the North Pacific seals seems an absolute certainty."

Objects to Hymns and Organs

LONDON, May 31—At the general assembly of the Church of Scotland a petition from Roderick Maclay, of Fort William, pleaded that unscriptural methods were carried on in that part of Canada, with the use of hymns and organs, and requested that the missionary there speak in English instead of Gaelic. A committee was instructed to investigate.

BRITAIN'S DUTY TOWARDS EGYPT

Mr. Roosevelt Gives Utterance to Unexpected Criticism in Address Accepting Freedom of City of London

HAS NOT SHOWN ENOUGH STRENGTH

Severe Remarks on Conduct of Nationalist Faction in Egypt —People Not Capable of Self-Government

LONDON, May 31.—Quite unexpectedly, Theodore Roosevelt today delivered what is considered by Englishmen a severe arraignment of the nation in its attitude towards Egypt. Something picturesque was looked for from the former President, but in view of his utterances in Egypt, in which he gave praise in full measure to the British government for the development that followed British rule, it was not anticipated that he would revert again to that subject, especially for the purpose of taking England to task.

But with a frankness that caused a stir among those who had gathered in the ancient Guildhall to witness the ceremony of conferring upon him the freedom of the city of London. Mr. Roosevelt declared that while Britain had given Egypt the best government in two thousand years, yet recent events following the assassination of Premier Boutros Pasha had shown that in certain vital points the British government had erred, and England must repair this error if she wished to do her full duty He called attention to the fact that England's primary object in taking hold in Egypt was the establishment of order

"Either you have or you have not the right to remain in Egypt and establish and keep order," he said. "If you have not the right and have not the desire to keep order, then by all means get out. But if, as I hope, you feel that your duty to civilized mankind and your fealty to your own great traditions alike bid you to stay, then make the fact and the name agree, and show that you are ready to meet in very deed the responsibility which is yours.

"When a people treats assassination as the corner stone of self-government, it forfeits all right to be treated as worthy of self-government. Some nation must govern Egypt. I hope and believe that the English nation will decide that the duty is theirs."

Mr. Roosevelt dwelt upon what he called the baneful influence of the nationalist party in Egypt, which had shown, he said, in connection with the murder of the Premier, that it was neither desirous or capable of guaranteeing justice. Nor had England shown enough of its strength.

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CORPORATION TAX CASES DELAYED

U. S. Supreme Court Orders Them to Be Re-Argued Before Full Bench—Taxes Will Be Collected

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Supreme Court of the United States today set the corporation tax cases for reargument at the beginning of the next term before a full bench. It will insure the participation of Governor Hughes in the determination of the cases. No reason was given for the re-assignment unless the phrase "before a full bench" can be so interpreted.

Secretary MaceVagh said today that notwithstanding the failure of the court to pass on the constitutionality of the corporation tax, the treasury would collect it. Should the court eventually declare the act not constitutional, the money collected will be refunded without the necessity of congressional legislation, the statutes making ample provisions for the return of taxes paid wrongfully or in error.

The tax is collectible on June 30. The assessments on that account have aggregated a trifle in excess of $27,000,000, while the taxes paid to date amount to $675,325.

Warship Sinks Steamer

FALMOUTH, May 31—H.M.S. Wasp ran down and sunk the steamer Washington off here today. Four lives were lost.

Canadian Cattle Wanted

LONDON, May 31—An increase in the price of meat is again imminent in consequence of the short supply. The situation is growing serious, and one result will probably be a more determined demand for the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle.

Australian Defence

MELBOURNE, May 31—Col. Kirkpatrick, inspector general of the Australian forces, has been assigned his duties. G. F. Pearce, the minister of defence will consult him regarding modifications of Lord Kitchener's military defence scheme.

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FATALITY ON BURNSIDE ROAD

Four Year Old Boy Darts in Front of Motor Car Receiving Injuries Resulting in His Death

Knocked down by the automobile driven by Dr. Fraser, directly in front of which he ran, the four-year-old son of Martin Brinkman, motorman of the B. C. Electric Company, Harriett Road, received injuries last night about 5 o'clock to which he subsequently succumbed at his home, whither he was immediately conveyed after the accident by Dr. Fraser. The accident, one which was impossible of avoiding, was a most regrettable one. Dr. Fraser feels the affair keenly. He is known as one of the most careful motorists in the city.

Dr. Fraser was en route to Strawberry Vale on a professional visit. As he was going up hill a short distance beyond the city limits he pulled to one side of the narrow roadway to permit a high boxed waggon to pass. He was just in the act of changing gears, and accordingly was going at but a moderate rate of speed. Almost before he had passed the waggon three children who had been having a ride on it dropped off and ran across the road directly in front of the automobile. The action of the lads, coming directly into view so suddenly gave Dr. Fraser hardly time to check his machine. The Brinkman lad almost ran into the machine. He was knocked down by one of the mud-guards, but not run over, the physician succeeding in stopping the auto. Dr. Fraser immediately attended the lad and carried him to his home, where he did everything possible to relieve the little sufferer. Dr. Hart and a nurse, summoned by Dr. Fraser, also attended the child, but the injuries of the little fellow proved fatal, and he passed away at 7 o'clock.

An inquest will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Speaking of the affair, Dr. Fraser has expressed his deep regret but stated his belief that the accident, regretable as it was, was unavoidable. He said: "I was proceeding to Strawberry Vale about 5 p.m. in my automobile, when I met a high boxed mill waggon, empty, and on passing it on the left side at ordinary rate of speed I suddenly noticed, when opposite the waggon, two little boys who had dropped off the rear end and darted across the road in front of the machine.

"I scarcely saw them owing to the height of the waggon before they were almost under the car. One got clear, but before I could reverse the machine the other was struck by some part of it. He was not run over. I stopped the machine and hurried to the child, who had been picked up by the waggon driver, and took him to his home on the Harriett Road. I examined him carefully. By this time he had regained consciousness. I found he had been struck in the region of the heart. I applied what restoratives I thought necessary, the parents being absent. I then put the child to bed after remaining some time and applying the necessary restoratives, hurried to the patient to whom I had been called and returned quickly, reaching the child again within three-quarters of an hour. Had I been using a horse and vehicle I believe the accident would have been just as certain to have resulted."

Explosion on Tug

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 31—The tug Chinook was towed into port today by the Takara Maru after being disabled by the cylinder top bursting. The Chinook was inward bound with a boom of logs from a camp near the Great Northern Cannery and had only been steaming half an hour when the explosion occurred. Luckily no one was injured, and the tug and its tow drifted close to the cannery and tied up. A launch was despatched to Hind Brothers' wharf and the Takara Maru went out and brought the disabled vessel to port.

MAY ESTABLISH NORSE COLONY

Norwegian - American Seeks Desirable Location on Vancouver Island — Desirable Class of Settlers

With a view to establishing a Norse colony on the Island, Mr. Peer Stromme, a newspaperman of Grand Forks, N.D., has written to the Vancouver Island Development League. Mr. Stromme is one of the most popular and best known among the Norsemen of America. He states that if he could find the right place to locate he could gather around him a large number of his countrymen, who are enterprising and thrifty. In the event of his being able to establish such a settlement on this island he states that he intends calling it Peeropolis, a name famous in Norse literature. Mr. Stromme states that he has already had a number of good offers of locations but in places with disagreeable climates. He wants to know whether it is possible to secure an option on a somewhat large tract of land fairly good in character and not far from the fishing grounds.

The class of Norwegians whom Mr. Stromme will bring in, in the event of his settling here, is possessed of means, and as experience has proved in the United States, these settlers prove an unusually desirable type of immigrants. At present there is a Scandinavian colony in the Holberg district, where the conjoined conditions of farming and fishing are similar to those prevailing on the Norwegian and Swedish coasts.

The officials of the Development League are furnishing Mr. Stromme with all the desired information.

WILL TELL OF CONDOR'S FEAT

Frederic Villiers in Illustrated War Talk at A.O.U.W. Hall on Thursday Will Show Striking Pictures

Mr. Frederic Villiers, the British war correspondent, who will give an illustrated war talk at the A. O. U. W. Hall on Thursday night, when he will show 115 stirring snapshots of actual warfare made on many battlefields, many under fire, will include among the pictures thrown on the canvas some dealing with the daring bombardment by H. M. S. Condor of the forts of Alexandria.

These pictures will have an unique interest in Victoria, where the vessel named after Admiral Beresford's little Condor was stationed before she went out to her doom one December evening many years ago.

Mr. Frederic Villiers was on board the Condor with Admiral Beresford on that July day 28 years ago, having been hurried to Egypt following the massacre by the followers of Arabi the Egyptian of 1882. Since that time there have been eight distinct campaigns in the Soudan and Mr. Villiers has accompanied six of them.

When visiting the late King Edward at Mar Lodge Mr. Villiers had met Admiral Beresford and had been invited by the Admiral to join him on board H.M.S. Condor. Commander Beresford, as he then ranked, had been ordered to keep the Condor out of trouble, to transfer signals between the larger warships, but if an opportunity occurred the Condor was to take advantage of it and prove her guns. The opportunity occurred. After the bombardment began the Condor steamed in close to Fort Marabout and its terraces and embrasures and began the audacious attack which holds such a place in Britain's history.

In Closer

The little Condor quaked with the blast of her guns, and gunners soon became black as negroes with powder and were compelled to dip their heads in the sponge buckets to keep the grit from their eyes. Then the breeze lifted the smoke, and the Egyptians could be seen in the embrasures working their guns. The Condor steamed closer in, getting right under the guns of the fort. The move was daring. It brought the little warship in such a position that the gunners could not depress sufficiently to bombard her. One shot below her watermark as she lurched with her guns run out would have sunk her. All the while the navigating officer was on the bridge, calmly moving the Condor up and down through the dangerous and intricate passage of the Boghas Pass. There were reefs on either side, and the work was dangerous, but the bombardment never ceased until finally, after silencing two of the enemy's guns the Condor had to go out of action for want of ammunition.

"Well done, Condor," the signal flown by the Admiral is now history.

SUMMER SHIRTS

This is the time o' year when the warm days herald the coming of vacation time and when discretion dictates the wisdom of purchasing negligee wear. A few suggestions:

Cambric, Negligee Shirts in plain white, also newest fancy colored stripes, $1.75, $1.50 and.....$1.25

Blue Zephyr Shirts, a fine display, each..... $1.25

English Negligee Shirts, in fancy Oxford patterns, $2.50, $2.00 and..... $1.50

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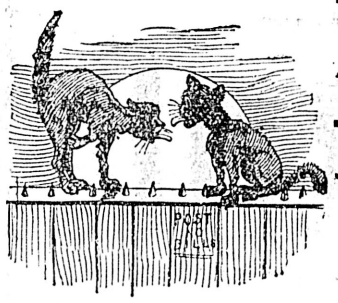

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EXECUTIVE HEARS APPLICATIONS

Appeal From Ruling of Municipality Regarding Sub-Division Stands Over—Asks Lease of Lands

At a protracted sitting of the Provincial Executive yesterday, an application to have the plans approved of the Idlewild sub-division of North Vancouver was made by Mr. George Cowan, K.C., opposition being represented by Reeve McNaught, in behalf of the especially interested municipality. The representations of all interested parties having been heard at length, it was concluded to allow the matter at issue to remain in abeyance for a fortnight, when it will again come before the Executive in the event of those concerned having failed to reach an amicable settlement.

The Executive also heard yesterday representatives of the Powell Lake Pulp Co. and the Sayward Mill Co., in connection with the application of the former to secure the site at present in use by the latter as a booming ground near the mouth of the Powell River. After argument, this matter was allowed to stand over for decision on Tuesday next. Messrs. E. V. Bodwell, K.C., and J. H. Lawson appeared for the Powell Lake Pulp Co. and Messrs. H. J. Taylor and R. T. Elliott, K.C., for the other interests.

Another application before the Executive was made in behalf of the Canadian Fishing & Cold Storage Co. by Mr. George H. Cowan, K.C., who sought to secure a lease of land for a fishing station, packing house, etc., on Denise Arm, Prince Rupert; while the Executive also heard further argument in connection with the application of Johnson et al., in respect to certain coal licenses in the northern part of the province. As to the first mentioned matter, Mr. Cowan was asked to file plans and to submit a definite offer as to terms; while in respect to the coal licenses, the application stands over until Tuesday next.

Another application presented by Mr. Cowan on behalf of the Western Union Fire Insurance Co., for a certificate and to have the required security defined. The latter was fixed at $10,000 cash, or security in this amount to be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

PRESENTS CASE OF PULP ENTERPRISE

Vancouver Witness Heard by Forestry Commission Urges Special Concessions to Proposed Company

Special representations in behalf of a new pulp manufacturing enterprise for British Columbia, advanced by Mr. Bremner, of Vancouver, largely monopolized yesterday's sitting of the timber and forestry commission, that body meeting both morning and afternoon and hearing in all four witnesses. The last of these was Mr. W. J. Sutton, who gave interesting data in regard to the extent and character of the standing timber throughout the province, and strongly protested against the lifting of the embargo which now stands in the way of an export of rough cedar to the American mills. It was Mr. Sutton's opinion that exhaustion of their own cedar supply must inevitably bring the cedar mills of Washington state to this province, and any concessions defeating the natural purpose of the law prohibiting export would only put back the initiation of British Columbia manufacture. As to the booms in the water; the loggers have been well aware of the law, and might very well, and to their own better profit in the end, have allowed the timber to stand. British Columbia and its forestry resource was at present in the transition stage, and every year in which timber properties were retained but added to their value. The commission at the close of yesterday's afternoon sitting, adjourned to meet at the call of the chair.

Mr. Bremner upon taking the stand at the morning sitting, presented briefly the wishes or rather the proposition presented to the government by the company for which he spoke. This company was asking for twenty thousand acres of government reserved land and with that an additional twenty thousand acres of "abandoned" lands, they to have the same terms as existing companies organized for the manufacture of fibre pulp, and the power to make further selections of lands in proportion to the capacity of the mills to be established. The company was willing to enter into an agreement to establish a mill with a production capacity of thirty tons of air-dried fibre per day, and would further in all probability increase their capacity to one hundred tons per day, conditional upon which they asked for proportional increases of land—that would be one hundred square miles of government reserved land and one hundred miles of logged-off lands. It was not their intention or desire to engage in lumber manufacture; they would bind themselves to employ no Oriental labor, and they would agree to commence construction at once, and to begin the production of pulp fibre within fourteen months unless natural conditions arose beyond their control which might operate as a prohibitory factor. They would further agree to complete their plant, and have it continuously in operation before getting full title to their property, such title to be contingent upon the continuous operation of the mill except for unforseen and unavoidable cause. It was true that pulp manufacture in British Columbia had not as yet been any particular success, but his company were confident, and ready to take their chance in operating under new and more favorable conditions; they wished to have a sufficient supply of timber in sight to assure the possibility of continuing operations during a long period of years.

Use Forest Waste

Their operations would figure in provincial economy also as a user of forest waste. Spruce was unquestionably the best fibre producer, and the company wanted spruce and as much of it as it was possible to obtain. Possibly hemlock and larch could also be used; these would come in as a second choice in manufacture for the avoidance of waste. He submitted that fibre manufacture of pulp was an especially heavy labor employer, and the principal cost of the industry was in the labor expenditure. Fibre was worth from forty dollars to fifty dollars per ton by grade, while first class fibre was placed at fifty-five dollars. Authoritative chemists had computed that one ton of fibre would equal fifteen hundred feet board measure. The advantage to the province would be obvious. In lumber this would be worth about thirty dollars, while for first class pulp it would be fifty-five dollars. As for the pulp industry in its labor employing capacity, he pointed to the fact that the establishment of a one-hundred ton pulp mill in the Quebec town of Grande Mere had produced a population of five thousand people. It was generally recognized that one ton fibre capacity in a mill would give employment to forty people, and it was estimated that there would be a dependent population upon the mill which it was now proposed to establish, of about twelve hundred. This was a great opportunity for British Columbia. Europe, the birth-place and chief centre of fibre pulp manufacture was already beginning to show itself at a marked disadvantage in consequence of the rapid diminution of the available raw material. As to why the industry had not been the success anticipated in the United States, Mr. Bremner contended that this was because the United States does not produce the best grades of pulp, but continues to import such grades from Europe, where the manufacturers have brought the development of their industry to its highest perfection. As to markets, his company looked upon the whole world as its market, and expected in the not far distant future to place its product even in Europe.

"Would you propose to utilize the timber left on the ground after other operations," Commissioner Flumerfelt inquired?

The witness replied with a qualified affirmative. It would be best to get at such left over timber as soon as possible after it had been cut, so that there might be no deterioration by decay. But what was wanted for first-class fibre was naturally first-class wood, and this was as especially important at the initial stage of operations, when the capture of the market was essential.

Commissioner Flumerfelt inquired if use could be made in pulp manufacture of the low grade cedar?

Still Experimenting

The reply was that this had not yet been experimented with. Use could be made of the spruce, probably of the hemlock and the larch, and possibly of the fir and the cottonwood. In 1907 Ontario had made an especial bid to secure the establishment of the pulp industry in that province. It had strictly prohibited pulp export; had put up an extensive reserve of 930 square miles, with magnificent water-power, and had fixed dues at forty cents on spruce and twenty cents on other woods. And yet not a single bid was obtained, although this provincial offer was very widely advertised. Here in British Columbia the opportunity so courted by Ontario was knocking at the door. The pulp mills would bring population, and if this province had a mill producing the highest grade of pulp fibre, the paper mills were bound to come.

Commissioner Goodeve inquired if the company represented by the witness had established any plant at which experiments had been made with British Columbia pulping wood. The reply was "not in British Columbia," but that the woods of this province had been thoroughly tested elsewhere, and had given satisfactorily results. Pulp manufacture had not been a success in this province heretofore, and it was sound policy for the government to help to make it so. Germany had made steel manufacture a national undertaking, and British Columbia would be well advised to similarily make pulp manufacture a national undertaking in this province.

Commissioner Flumerfelt again inquired as to the assurance possessed by the company of a dependable and profitable market. The response was that the promoters of the company had gone carefully into the matter, and were satisfied that a market was available for all the contemplated output.

"What reason would you assign," asked Commissioner Flumerfelt, "for the non-completion of their plants by the various companies already on the field in this province?"

This question the witness thought was scarcely a fair one to present to him.

"Are you better equipped than they," asked Mr. Flumerfelt?

The witness surmised that they must be, or they would not look with such confidence for success in their undertaking.

Commissioner Flumerfelt inquired as to what definition the witness would give of "logged-off land." The reply was "anything that has reverted to the province as containing insufficient timber for milling purposes."

Commissioner Flumerfelt further pointed out that laboratory tests were not the same as the test of actual manufacture. He inquired of the witness how many pulping companies there already were enjoying concessions in British Columbia? The answer was the British Columbia Wood Pulp and Paper Co., the Swanson Bay Co., a Bella Coola company and the Brooks-Scanlon Co.

"And how many mills have they established?" asked Mr. Flumerfelt.

The answer was one sulphate mill only and one small pulp mill at Port Mellon.

"What have these produced or what are they producing?" Mr. Flumerfelt continued.

Mr. Bremner was unable to give the required information.

The Situation.

Commissioner Flumerfelt pointed out that there were here four organized companies holding large acreages which had not been able to produce the results promised. Had the company represented by Mr. Bremner, then, a better method upon which to count for success that had been denied these others? Had Mr. Bremner's company fully considered the situation? What would be the effect upon their prospect if these

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SOUTH AFRICA

Yesterday the Union of South Africa became an accomplished fact, and General Botha, that redoubtable enemy of Britain in the Boer war, became Premier of the new self-governing Dominion. He sent the following message to the Cape Times:

"We rejoice that the Union has become an accomplished fact. May we be a united people with hearts united as well as lands, a peaceful, progressive portion of the Empire."

There is something truly wonderful in this consummation of the plans for the union of the South African Colonies under the British Crown. Less than a decade has passed since President Kruger cherished the idea that it was within the power of the Boers to drive the British into the sea, and now we have Briton and Boer uniting in forming a great self-governing Dominion as a part of the British Empire. The countries included in the Union are:

Cape Colony, area 276,995 square miles; population 825,172, of whom 580,380 are European;

Natal, area 29,200; population 1,011,645, of whom 29,200 are European;

Transvaal, area 111,196 square miles; population 972,674, of whom 297,277 are European;

Orange River Colony, area 50,000 square miles; population 241,626, of whom 143,419 are European.

Total 667,390 square miles; population 4,151,117, of whom 1,118,176 are European. These returns of population are several years old.

There remain of British possessions not included in the Union, Southern Rhodesia, Basutoland, Bechuanaland and Swaziland, with an area of nearly half a million square miles and a population of about a million, of whom less than fifteen thousand are European. To the north of Rhodesia lies British Central Africa, whose irregular frontiers extend as far north as Lake Tanganyika, and contain within them as much area as is in all South Africa, whether in the Union or not. In other words of the southern part of Africa an area having approximately an extent of 2,500,000 square miles belongs to the British Empire. We think it may reasonably be assumed that in the case of the South African Union the example of Canada will be followed and the great hinterland to the north will pass under the direct control of the new Dominion in course of time.

The new Government has serious problems to face. There is first the racial problem as it relates to the English and Dutch settlers. The disposition among the people is to avoid friction and we are strongly of the opinion that none will develop. The Dutch have abandoned the idea of independent existence, and will not be slow to adjust themselves to British connection in every way and to live on good terms with their English-speaking neighbors. The personal influence and profound sagacity of General Botha will be invaluable in preventing any difficulty at the outset, and if the new ship of state is safely launched, her course will doubtless be smooth. The other problem is presented by the black population. Very little more than twenty-five per cent. of the population of the new Dominion are of European origin, and under this head the Boers are, of course, included. It is out of the question to grant the black races a voice in the government of the country, and in the course of time, as civilization and settlement extend over the land, the presence of such a large number of people in an inferior position may give rise to very serious difficulties.

Of the new Dominion it can be said with confidence that it contains within itself all the elements of a nation. It possesses great natural wealth. It has a good climate. Its seaboard is valuable and strategically situated as respects the commerce of the world. Its white population is of sturdy stock, and a very large element of it is full of enterprise. Fair treatment has made the Dutch element loyal to the Crown, and the strength of the Empire, as it was asserted in the war, gives the English element a feeling of confidence that they need not fear injustice. Canada will wish the new Union every measure of success.

TO WORK FOR PEACE

A London despatch to the New York Herald, of the 22nd inst., said that all London was talking over a supposed understanding between the King and the Kaiser that they should work together to promote the peace of the world. Possibly the wish is father to the thought, but there is nothing improbable in the suggestion. We know that the King has no military ambition, and that, if he had, his personal wishes on such a point would not compel the people of the Empire to fall in with any designs he might cherish. We know that the British Empire is not seeking territorial aggrandizement, and that there is not the remotest present possibility that the United Kingdom will be the aggressor in any war. The Kaiser had been charged with a desire to have a military career; but he is now a man of fifty-one years, and has been at the head of the German Empire for twenty-two, and he has done nothing to disturb the peace of Europe. Occasions have not been infrequent when, if he had sought an excuse for precipitating war, he would not have had far to look for them. He is at the head of what is supposed to be the greatest fighting force ever organized on land. As he has the means of fighting and has had opportunities to do so if he were so disposed, the fact that he has not broken the peace is at least prime facie evidence that he has no desire to engage in war. It would not be at all inconsistent with his record if he should unite with the King in a league of peace. The influence of such an understanding would be enormous, although it would not of necessity prevent war.

The time has passed when monarchs made war to satisfy their own ambitions. It is commonly said that Napoleon III. was fired by ambition only when he declared war against Prussia; but the impartial historian will concede that he only did so because he was forced by the web of circumstances which Bismarck had woven around him to take that step. His own shortsightedness may have led him into Bismarck's trap, but not his ambition. But times have changed since Bismarck's day, recent though that was. We will not have wars in the future unless there is something like a popular demand for them. The tenure of sovereignty is too feeble for any one enjoying it to jeopardize it in an unpopular war with all the uncertainty that would attend it, but the world is not yet safe from the danger that may arise from a popular demand for war.

Among the danger spots of the Old World, Morocco occupies a prominent place. This African kingdom is rich in natural resources, and they are at last being developed. German as well as French and English capital is being invested there. Some well-informed persons believe that France is aiming at adding Morocco to Algeria, and if this should be done the trade of the country would be largely with France. It is said that the United Kingdom is not averse to French occupation of Morocco, because it will strengthen the British possession in Egypt. The German people would not view with approval the consummation of a policy that might close the doors of Morocco in their faces. Hence in spite of what diplomats might wish to do, the demands of trade might easily create in Morocco conditions for which there would be no other solution than war. Another danger point is in the Balkan Peninsula. Austria wants a sea-coast. She needs an outlet for her growing population. The same causes that overhrew the Roman Empire are operating in Central Europe, namely a population is growing up too great for the country it inhabits. The sagacity of statesmen may be able to discover means whereby this expansion can go on smoothly without involving wars over the rectification or enlargement of frontiers, but there is always in conditions of this nature the possibility of war.

Hence, while it would be good news, indeed, if we were told on authority that the King and Kaiser had resolved to work together for the peace of the world, it would be premature to suppose that their co-operation, influential though it might be, would remove all danger of war or lead speedily to a policy of disarmament. We find no difficulty in believing that all the statesmen of the world desire peace. We are prepared to concede that the people of all the nations are averse to war. But there are influences at work that the wisdom of statesmen and the desires of the people may not be able to counteract.

WHEN THE SHIP CAME IN

Many a time have we told others the wonderful things we would do "when our ship came in." A ship came in the other day in Montreal, and the most interested watcher of her approach was our friend Mr. D. D. Mann. The ship was the Royal Edward, pioneer steamer of the Canadian Northern Railway's trans-Atlantic line. She is a splendid ship, but she carried something more interesting than herself, although to the self-made railway king it must have been inspiring to see the noble vessel approach her dock. A Montreal despatch says:

It was Mr. Mann's first view of the stately Royal Edward, and to him it was really a dream ship, for it brought to him the intelligence that his partner, William Mackenzie, has secured in Europe for use in the development of the interests of the company the immense sum of $40,700,000. Of this money $5,000,000 are for debentures of the C. N. R. One million is to go to develop the Winnipeg Street Railway, three millions for steamships, seven and a half millions will be used in the recently acquired timber mill and timber rights in British Columbia by the Western Canadian Lumber Company, fourteen millions will be expended on the Dunsmuir collieries in the same province, millions are to be used in the Brazeau coal fields and railway in Alberta, and the balance, $4,700,000 will be utilized for the building of the Duluth, Winnipeg & Pacific Railway from Virginia Mines, 70 miles, into Duluth, to establish a through connection with the Chicago & Northwestern Railway into Chicago.

There will be general satisfaction in the decrease in the price of flour. Everything has been going up, up, up, for so long a time that any tendency in the other direction will be as welcome as the flowers in May.

Mr. Theodore Roosevelt thinks that Egypt ought to be governed with the "big stick." And yet after all has been said, it cannot be claimed that the British people have made much of a failure in governing dependent countries.

Peace hath her expense account as well as war. The President of the United States and the ex-President are distributing olive branches ad libitum, but Congress as a matter of precaution has voted $134,000,000 for the building and up-keep of the navy.

We have not much to say about the Fort street business, but if the employees of any business concern handled things in the way that has been managed, if what the Aldermen say about it is true, some one else would be put on the job as quick as you could say Jack Robinson.

A contemporary laments the fact that "there is no supreme statesman in the United Kingdom." We are not quite sure that this is very much to be regretted. "Supreme statesmen" have a trick of making lots of trouble. The great majority of mankind are common-place, and geniuses are not likely to be very closely in touch with what they want.

It is very greatly to be regretted that motorists and others are misusing their privileges in Beacon Hill Park. It may be necessary to forbid motors from entering those parts of the Park where pedestrians chiefly congregate. People who will not keep within their rights, do not deserve to have rights. There ought at least to be a speed limit within the Park that would not be faster than the ordinary walk of a man.

The distressing accident by which a little child lost its life by collision with a motor car driven by Dr. R. L. Fraser was one of those unhappy incidents that was, under the circumstances, unavoidable. All who know Dr. Fraser will bear testimony that a more careful man in the use of his motor or horses cannot be found. Deep sympathy will be felt for the parents of the unfortunate lad as well as for the gentleman who was the innocent cause of his death.

Mr. Glen H. Curtis, the United States aviator, has made a very sensational flight from Albany to New York, and of course there is a revival of the prophecies of a regular passenger service by aerodrome. We think this is a little premature. The people who do the least prophesying about the future of flying machines, are those who know the most about them. The invention is yet in the experimental stage, although it is making rapid progress towards efficiency for practical uses.

Some of our eastern exchanges are taking very seriously the observation of an alleged English journalist, who has written to the press to say that an immigrant has to make himself a home in Canada. There was a time when the Colonist also used to take such things seriously, but we have outgrown the habit. We have reached the conclusion that a prospective emigrant to Canada, who expects to come out to a land where he will live without labor in a ready-made home, might far better remain in the country of his birth.

The Canadian Courier has an illustrated article on a Vancouver Island city, which it calls "Nanaimo the Beautiful." Although this is Victoria's title, we do not suppose our city can claim to the proprietorship of it, and certainly the person who has looked upon the surroundings of the Coal City will not deny its very great claims to beauty of situation. Indeed it would be difficult to mention any place where sea, coast and islands combine to produce a more delightful landscape.

At a meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute the statement was made that the immigration regulations of Canada prevent the families of persons now in this country from joining them. This has been stated before and has been denied officially. There must be some misapprehension somewhere. If the regulations permit of such injustice, it is time they were altered. There ought to be every inducement held out to an immigrant, who has made a success in Canada to bring his family out to join him.

There are indications that a compromise may be reached on the question of the House of Lords. The contention of the Liberals that there ought to be some reasonable chance of their being able to secure a majority of the Hereditary Chamber is conceded by prominent Unionists to be worthy of attention. We know a little how that sort of thing is in Canada. For the Conservatives to hope of securing a majority in the Senate for the next fifteen years is to cherish a delusion. The Senate needs reforming in that particular very badly. It does not appear to have occurred to our Liberal friends in Canada, who are to a man in favor of a reformed House of Lords, that a reformed Senate is equally desirable.

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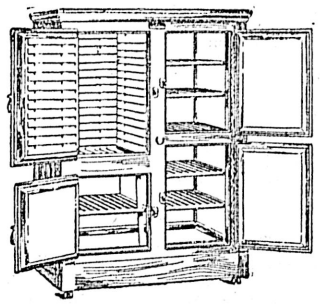

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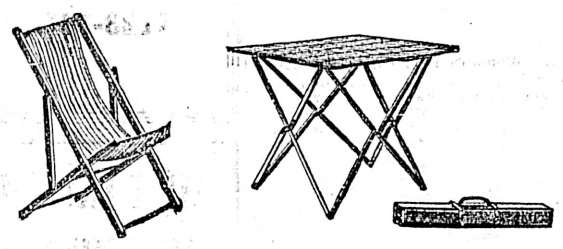

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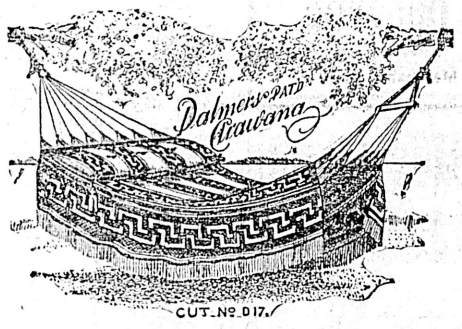
Folding Tables, priced from, each	$4.50
Folding Beds, priced from, each	$2.25



Stylish Hammocks from $1.50

These are real hammock days. Warm and bright and Summer days when a hammock swinging from the trees of the lawn or camp or from the posts of your verandah would be a real treat.

If you do not possess a hammock, better come in here and choose one. Try it this Summer and learn what an excellent Summer furnishings item it is. You'll be delighted with it, and you'll never be without one during another Summer season.

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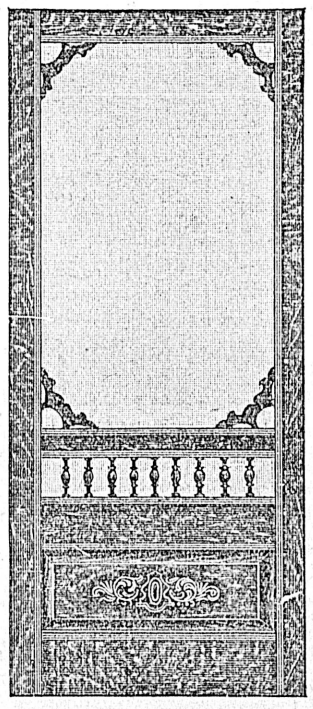

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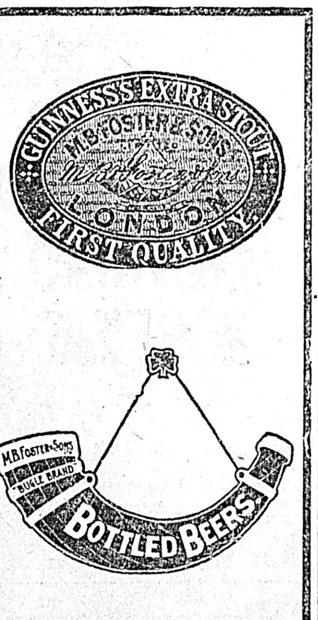

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Love is visiting with Mrs. A. E. Henderson, Vancouver.

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Miss Alice Bryden has returned to Ladysmith.

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Mrs. J. A. Sayward, Rockland avenue, will not receive on Thursday.

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Mr. W. H. Tackett is down in town on a short visit from Cowichan Bay.

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W. K. Houston went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

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Mrs. F. J. Fulton left last night on the Charmer for Vancouver.

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Dr. Ernest Hall went over to Vancouver last night on a short trip.

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Dr. Ernest Hall was among the passengers to Vancouver this morning.

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Mr. Carew Gibson was among the passengers this morning to Vancouver.

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Mr. F. J. Fulton left for the mainland this morning.

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Capt. McHarg was among the passengers to Vancouver this morning.

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Mrs. John A. Turner will not receive today nor again until the autumn.

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Mrs. R. S. Dalby will not receive today or again during the summer months.

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Mrs. S. J. Stapledon will receive on Thursday and not again during the summer.

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Mrs. L. Casey of Niagara street, will receive on Thursday afternoon and not again this summer.

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Mr. F. C. Winkler will not receive on Wednesday nor again during the summer months

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Mrs. George H. Hall, of 1409 Camosun street will receive today for the last time during the summer.

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Mr. G. A. Keefer, engineer of the public works department, returning to the mainland this morning.

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Mr. Z. M. Hamilton returned by the steamer Princess Charlotte yesterday from the mainland.

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Mr. E. A. Morris left by the steamer Charmer this morning for the mainland.

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Mr. W. McNeil returned by the steamer Charmer this morning to Vancouver.

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Mr. J. J. Shallcross was among the passengers to Vancouver this morning by the steamer Charmer.

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Mr. Wilson McLean is revisiting his old home in the provincial interior after a fourteen years' absence.

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Mr. R. Marshall has been spending several days with Victoria friends, and has now returned to Ladysmith.

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Rev. Mr. Evans, the pineer Presbyterian missionary at Ladysmith, is revisiting that city.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Hume, of Point Grey, and Miss Conaghan, are visiting Victoria friends.

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Mr. Arthur V. Kenah came over from Vancouver yesterday for a few days, and is staying at the Empress.

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Mrs. Love is visiting in Vancouver, and is the guest of Mrs. A. E. Henderson.

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Mr. F. Shute, formerly manager of the New Westminster branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, has been transferred to this city.

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Mr. A. S. Goodeve, M. P., arrived in the city yesterday and will be present today at the resumed sittings of the forestry commission.

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The many friends of Miss Pearl Harrison of Saanich will be pleased to known that she is progressing favorably in the St. Joseph's hospital.

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Mr. E. J. Coyle of Vancouver, was among the passengers by the steamer Princess Charlotte from the mainland yesterday.

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Capt. Shadforth left for the mainland this morning. He will join the new G. T. P. steamer Prince Albert at the mainland port.

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Mrs. Gilbert Cook will be at home on Friday, June 3 from 3 to 6 in the afternoon at her residence 1615 Sell St., Oak Bay.

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Mrs. Richard S. Cox, son and maid, from Seattle, are spending a few weeks at the Empress Hotel in Victoria, B.C.

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Mr. A. R. Paul, who has been in town on a business visit, left yesterday on his return journey to Winnipeg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson, from Warwick, England, are recent arrival in town from the Old Country.

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Mrs. H. C. Brewster, 1325 Stanley avenue, will not receive on Wednesday, June 1st, nor again until October.

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Mrs. Muirhead, of this city, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lowe, of Hedley. She will be present at the nuptials there of a sister, tomorrow.

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Among recent Ladysmith visitors in the city have been Messrs. W. W. Walkem, F. Little, R. W. Fleming and A. J. Waskett.

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Rt. Rev. Bishop McDonald paid a visit to the veteran and venerable Father Nicolaye at Ladysmith last Sunday.

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Messrs. Stanley Hayward, Robert S. Lewis, Jonathan Gordon and Samuel Rock are visitors in town from Los Angeles, and are staying at the Empress.

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Among Seattle visitors in town are Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher, Mr. I. P. Fowler, Mr. W. N. Pethrick, Mr. W. R. Bettcher, Mr. and Mrs. I. Harrison, Mr. F. H. Deppe, Mr. Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wintermute, Mr. Howard Bateman, Mr. E. E. Lessendey, Mr. J. L. Wood, Mr. J. P. Schnuik, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Carlson, and Messrs. S. N. Cochran, W. T. Coleman, F. Pordor.

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Mr. A. Land from Prince Rupert, is on a visit to the city.

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Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley, is in Vancouver on a short visit.

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Mr. J. C. Kingham went to Vancouver on Sunday.

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Mr. George L. Paddon from Mayne Island, is spending a short time in town and is a guest at the Empress.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Hume, of Point Grey, accompanied by Mrs. Conaghan, arrived in town on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John M. Walker, from Montreal, are the guests of relatives in town for a few days before going up to their summer cottage near Cowichan.

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Mr. J. W. Holmes, jr., of this city, is visiting Nelson, from which city the Nelson Daily News states he will bring a bride back with him to the coast.

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Master Alex. Young, the son of County Judge and Mrs. F. McB. Young, of Nanaimo, is seriously ill with pneumonia at the Jubilee hospital.

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Mrs. J. H. Gray left yesterday via the C.P.R. for Quebec where she will meet her daughter who is returning from England on the Empress of Britain.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Karl Struve arrived in Victoria from Seattle on May 28th, when Mrs. Struve joined Mrs. Cox at the Empress, and will remain a week or more.

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Mrs. A. F. McEwan and nurse arrived in town recently from Seattle. Mrs. McEwan will spend about a week at the Empress to recuperate from her long illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Beatty, who have been visitors in town for the past week, left yesterday on their return journey to their home in Boston, Mass.

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Mr. L. W. Shatford, M. P. P. for the Similkameen, is a guest at the Empress. He is more than ever convinced that the popular conception of Biblical geography is far astray, and that the Garden of Eden was really located approximately in the centre of the Similkameen.

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Mr. Stone, head of the firm of Messrs. Stone and Knight, who control the Diamond Drill Contracting Company of Spokane, arrived in the city yesterday and leaves today by launch for Tumbo Island accompanied by Mr. W. Blakemore, mining engineer, in connection with the further prosecution of drilling work on the coal measures discovered at that point.

WOMEN'S PARLIAMENT

Bills to be Presented and Considered At First Session of the World Vice Versa

Legislators who attend the session of the Woman's Parliament this evening will no doubt be much enlightened and edified thereby. New ways of evading embarrassing questions and of dealing with determined suffragists may be expected. It may be mentioned in passing that this government has a very formidable opposition, skilled in all the time-honored ways of making itself obnoxious. The voice of wisdom and the counsel of experience have not been lacking in the rehearsals, and as a result, in dealing with matters brought up with sinister intent by the opposition, Mrs. Day, the Premier, shows the grasp of a stateswoman—to coin a ward rendered necessary by circumstances. As Speaker, Hon. Helen Grant exercises a power hardly second to that of Speaker Cannon.

This play might justly be entitled Vice Versa, the Shoe on the Other Foot, or It's a Poor Rule That Won't Work Both Ways, for Miss Norcross will ask the attorney-general why a woman physician and women wardens are in charge of institutions devoted exclusively to reforming male offenders, and Mrs. Cunningham asks leave to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to protect a man from being bound to accept a foreign domicile because his wife has become a citizen of another country." The Hon. the Premier introduces an Act to extend the parliamentary franchise to men on the same condition as to women.

To Protect Dead Voters

Mrs. Andrews, leader of the opposition, asks leave to introduce a bill for the protection of dead voters. The attorney-general, Mrs. Spofford, attempts the disfranchisement of male householders. The Hon. Minister of Education attempts to right the wrongs of fathers with relation to the custody of children. The teaching profession is to be regulated, the marriage laws amended, and Mrs. Gleason brings in legislation with regard to curfew laws.

Miss M. Evans asks a very pertinent question, viz.: Does the government intend to introduce a measure prohibiting men from invasion or further intrenchment upon the trades and professions of women, as medicine, law, dressmaking, millinery, washing, cooking, etc., which by their very nature belong exclusively to women?

The tableaux are in the efficient care of Mrs. Denis Harris, from whose artistic skill Victorians have received much pleasure in the past, and music lovers will welcome Miss Buckley's beautiful contralto in "The Lords of Creation."

Miss Thain's orchestra will be in attendance, and the tickets, which are also programmes, may be obtained from any of the M. P.s.

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Log Driving on New Brunswick Streams Gets Welcome Lift from Floods.

ST. JOHN, N.B., May 30—Reports from Fredericton and Chatham, covering the lumbering districts of the upper St. John and Miramichi rivers, are today more cheerful because of the better driving conditions following the rains of last week. Fredericton reports that there is now a chance that the drive abandoned some weeks ago at Black River Rapids will get out. The first section of the corporation drive, about twenty-five million feet, will likely reach the boom limits by noon on Wednesday next. From Chatham the report is that the water in the Miramichi and the streams about there have risen 18 inches to two feet, and it was said the bulk of the logs would get out, although likely a considerable number will be hung up in the brooks. It has been a long and expensive driving season.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Obtains a Scholarship.

Mr. Wm. Whittaker of 1322 Government street has just received word that his son Arthur, has been successful in obtaining a scholarship at the horological institute in Toronto, where he has been studying the art of watchmaking for the past two years

Degeneracy and Genius.

Professor Cooper, the blind phrenologist lectured last evening in the First Congregational church upon "Degeneracy and Genius." The attendance was a large one, the local post of the lodge of Native Sons adjourned their meeting to attend the lecture in a body. A number of heads were read and the speaker dealt with his subjects exhaustively and yet in a most interesting manner. He speaks again this evening.

Coal at Alberni

What is believed to be seam coal has been struck right in the heart of the Port of Alberni townsite, the discovery being made by accident while the owner of Lot 21, Block 125 was sinking for a well. The strike was made 30 feet from the surface and samples of the find have been forwarded to Victoria for examination. The mining rights on the property where the discovery was made are controlled by the Alberni Land Company.

The Police Court.

For throwing Arthur Kinsie, waiter of the Strand hotel through the window, Clement Phillips and Samuel Dufty were charged with assault in the police court yesterday morning and on conviction were fined $15 each. Too much liquor and a dispute over payment of a bill resulted in the assault. The rain of last Saturday resulted in several bicycle cases. One was called yesterday morning and the offender fined. Several were held over.

Would Curb Autoists.

The necessity of curbing the speed at which automobiles travel through Beacon Hill Park formed one subject of debate at last night's council meeting. The parks superintendent suggested that autos be excluded from the park, while Ald. Bannerman and Sargison believed such a step altogether too drastic. All the autoists were not guilty. Ald. Humber urged better police protection claiming that dogs have destroyed the birds and harried the deer, while children have been nearly run down. The mounted police have caught two drivers who were speeding at an excessive rate, but more police protection is imperative. The matter was referred to the parks committee.

No Increase in Width

Tt city solicitor has informed the mayor that it will not be possible to widen the sidewalks on Douglas street as proposed by the city engineer under the improvement scheme. Some time ago the city council decided that the widening should be done, but the solicitor now points out that as the bylaw has already been passed for a certain width to change it would permit any owner wishing to do so to refuse to pay his share of the assessment for the improvement. The mayor will instruct the engineer to hold to the previous width as defined by the bylaw.

Musical Examinations.

Professor F. De G. English, one of the Board of Examiners for the Associated Board of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, London, will conduct the Practical Examinations in Victoria on Thursday, June 9th. The examination will be held in the studio of Miss Miles, room 75, Five Sisters block, Fort St., commencing at 9.30 a m. The candidates will be examined in the following order: Primary pupils, elementary pupils, lower division, higher division, intermediate pupils and advanced pupils. On Friday, June 10th, Professor De English will visit the public schools for the purpose of awarding the silver trophy for class singing offered for competition by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

Rich Timber Holdings

Mr. Maurice Quinn, a wealthy American owner of 35,000 acres of some of the richest timber land on Vancouver Island, paid a brief visit to the city yesterday returning from a trip of inspection to his holdings in the neighborhood of Alberni. Mr. Quinn has held his timber acreage for the past nine years buying out the holdings of the Toronto Lumber Company. His present visit to the coast is for the purpose of finding out about the prospects of transportation in and around Alberni, and it is understood that as a result of his visit he will form a syndicate of capitalists to erect a sawmill and commence shipping timber from the western terminus of the E. and N. Railway. The Alberni holding is a peculiarly wealthy one running some 50,000 feet of timber to the acre.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Nicholson.

The death occured yesterday at the family residence, 639 Craigflower road of Mrs. Mary Helen Nicholson, relict of the late Mr. Antony Nicholson formerly watchman on D G.S. Quadra. Deceased was in her seventieth year, and a native of Sunderland, England. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2.30 p.m. from the residence Craigflower road and later from St. Saviour's where the Rev. C. E. Cooper will officiate. The arrangements are in the hands of the Victoria Undertaking parlors.

Franck.

The funeral of the late Julius Herz Franck, which took place on Sunday afternoon last was largely attended. Services were conducted by Dr. Hartman at the residence, 1082 Davie St., and from there the cortege proceeded to the Jewish cemetery where interment took place. There were numerous floral offerings which adorned the casket. The following acted as pallbearers: J. Drummond, C. Kosche, M. Leiser, J. Savannah, E. M. Nodeck, G. Kircheimer, A. D. Munro and G. Hanch.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., May 31, 1910:

SYNOPSIS.

The pressure is comparatively low over the North Pacific states and high over the Canadian provinces. Fine summer weather has been general with high temperatures between the ranges reaching 100 degrees at Red Bluff, Cal.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	47	71
Vancouver	46	75
New Westminster	46	76
Kamloops	..	88
Barkerville	52	62
Fort Simpson	38	56
Atlin	34	50
Calgary, Alta.	46	60
Winnipeg, Man.	40	64
Portland, Ore.	62	86
San Francisco, Cal.	52	68

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh winds, generally fair and warm.

Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, fair and warm.

TUESDAY.

Highest	71
Lowest	47
Mean	55

Sunshine, 13 hours, 30 minutes.

MAY, 1910.

Highest temperature	74.0
Lowest temperature	39.0
Mean temperature	54.8

Total precipitation for the month .77 inch; average amount, 1.02 inches; bright sunshine 278 hours, 42 minutes; mean proportion .59; (constant sunshine being 1.)

During her stay in Winnipeg Lady Shackleton was entertained at a luncheon given by Miss Jones, president of the Women's Canadian Club, at which several members of the executive of the club were present.

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Leave May 2, 4, 9, 20, 23, 25. Due May 3, 14, 15, 16, 20, 23, 25.

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Leave May 18, 20 23. Due May 5, 16.

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Leave May 1, 3, 6, 7, 20, 21, 24, 27. Due May 3, 6, 16, 23, 27, 30.

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Leave via Montreal, May 7.

Dawson, Atlin, White Horse, etc.:
Leave May 3, 13, 23.

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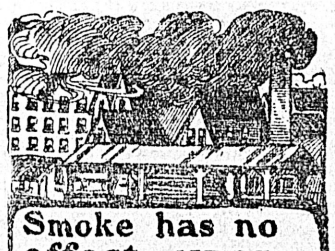

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Grand Lodge Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M., of British Columbia is to be held at Cranbrook during the latter part of this month. Committees are already at work making adequate hospitable arrangements for the entertainment of the expected large attendance of visiting members of the greatest of the crafts

New Mining District

In consequence of the very rapid development and constantly appreciating importance of the Portland Canal mining district, it has been decided by the government to create a new mining division the focal point of which will be the city of Stewart, and which is to be known as Stewart mining division. Officers will be named and offices opened there on the 15th of July next.

No Settlement Reached

The negotiations between the G. M. Annable Lumber Co. and the city of Trail for the settlement of the long-in-dispute priority of record on Cambridge creek, Violin lake, have again ended abortively, the parties finding new cause for difference upon being brought together to ratify and sign the agreement secured through the good offices of Water Commissioner Drewry. The matter will now come up again before the board at its arranged meeting in this city on the 15th instant.

Luncheon to Mr. Villiers

In connection with the specially interesting luncheon of the Canadian Club on Thursday of this week at the Broad street hall, at which the most famous of all war artists and veteran among modern war correspondents, Frederic Villiers, is to be the distinguished guest, the acting secretary of the club wishes to impress upon members the imperative necessity of securing their tickets before 10.30 o'clock on Thursday morning. The occasion gives promise of being one of the most thoroughly interesting in all the history of the club.

Store For Foul Bay

An institution that promises to be of very great and general convenience to a rapidly growing residential district, is the establishment of a well equipped store at the junction of Fairfield and Lillian roads, Foul Bay, the building being now well advanced toward completion, and Mr. William Baylis, the proprietor, expecting to be in a position to open by Dominion Day. In addition to operating a convenient retail establishment, not inartistic waiting room accommodation for tramway travelers is to be provided, and a petition is in circulation in the district asking that the new store may also be made a sub-post office and money order depot.

Want Wires Raised.

In connection with the recent difficulty experienced by the ship Marichen in getting up the Fraser to her loading point at Fraser Mills, the vessel being eventually obliged to lower her topgallant masts in order to pass beneath the B. C. E. R. Co.'s trans-Fraser power wires, application has been made by New Westminster interests for the co-operation of the Provincial authorities in securing the raising permanently of the wires to a sufficient height to permit unhampered navigation. The matter is now being especially looked after by the Provincial Minister of Works, Hon. Thomas Taylor, who is in communication with the authorities at Ottawa, with whom of course corrective action rests, the Fraser being a navigable major waterway.

APPLIES FOR INJUNCTION

Country Club to Test the Validity of the Lease it Claims for Five Years.

Application was made yesterday by Mr. W. H. R. Moore of Barnard & Robertson, acting for the Country Club, for a writ of injunction against the B. C. Agricultural Association restraining the latter from interfering with the club's operating under its lease of the race track here. The association was served yesterday, the summons being returnable Friday.

The Country Club claims that it has a good and sufficient lease of the grounds for racing purposes for a period of five years. The Agricultural Association, or, rather, the city council, which now has a majority upon the board of that body, maintain that the lease has lapsed. The present proceedings are to test the validity of the lease.

MECHANICAL PROTECTION

New Signal Apparatus Helps in Victoria's System of Police Vigilance

When a belated drunk is hereafter coaxed within the precincts of the police station and, bleareyed, faces the jailors as his valuables are gently extracted from his person for safe keeping, it is a certainty that his first impression will doubtless be that he has meandered into the working end of an electrical plant. Right in front of him, as he leers over the counter, will be a mass of shining brass, dials, electric light bulbs and sundry other pieces of mechanism which, if he has an extra guilty conscience, will bring to his beclouded mind visions of the electric chair. It will prove nothing more serious, however, than the new switch board, just installed, whereby the police signal alarm system is to be operated, the faithfulness of the constables on patrol registered and the mechanical end of the police work controlled.

The new switch board, with alarm boxes etc., recently purchased from the Gamewell Company, have arrived and are now being installed. Hereafter when a signal is sent into the station for the patrol wagon, the call will be registered on a tape with the hour, minute, day, month, and even year printed by an automatic machine. The number of the box will be registered and the man in charge will have at a glance all the record as to time of arrest, etc., required for entry in the station records. A telephone arrangement connects each box in the city with the board, and by a contrivance of buzzers and lights for each box a constable on the beat can be called at any time, day or night, while the new rule to be instituted, that of having each patrolman on his beat ring in his signal every fifteen minutes will enforce regular and constant patrolling. The machine will, in the words of the chief, "play no favorites," but will do its work with an amount of certainty and hardheartedness which takes no care for the bluecoat whose thrust may tarry at the sidedoor or who may whisper sweet nothings over the back fence to Biddy. It is cold business from start to finish, and only the eccentricities so common to electrical apparatus will interfere with its workings.

Incidentally, however, the already absurdly limited space for receiving wrongdoers at the station is being rapidly taken up, and unless the civic fathers see fit to make some better arrangements, the time may come when a prisoner will have to be searched on the sidewalk before he enters the portal to the cells.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Victoria

Those wishing to spend a thoroughly enjoyable evening cannot do better than take in the "grand amateur contest" at the Victoria theatre this week.

The performance embraces such a variety of talent, that it cannot fail to please every taste and provide amusement for all.

There are a large number of contestants whose performance is decidedly good, and the programme is so varied that it will be difficult for the public to decide which particular contestant is most deserving of the handsome prize being offered.

Judging from last night it is safe to say that by Saturday night public interest will have reached fever heat. The fact that the audience is called upon to decide the contest will add zest to a might's entertainment that will provide a long evening's amusement of a unique character.

The performance opened last night with a fine picture. Then came Miss Enid Rex in a skipping rope and tambourine dance. Mr. Tom Sidney gave a piano monologue and song, "The Girl With the Big Black Hat,' and for an encore, "If You Only Knew."

Mrs. Prudlove rendered "The Holy City" in splendi style.

Scottie in full Highland costume, made a big hit in his Scottish character songs, "Hellan Rony" and "Hooch Aye.'

Miss Lily Christie danced a Highland fling and sword dance in fine style, and got a splendid reception.

Mr. D. Black's concertina solo was received with enthusiastic applause, being recalled several times.

The pictures shown were extra good 'When Knights Were Bold," is a splendid drama portraying sixteenth century life costumes and styles of dress. "The Three Thanksgivings" is another fine dramatic picture, "A Love Token" was a beautiful scenic picture showing fine tropical scenery.

This amateur contest bids fair to become one of the most popular that has ever been produced in Victoria.

The performance commences at 8 p. m. and occupies the entire evening.

Pantages Character Play

If Christine Hill & Co.'s great playlett "Fate," was one scene of a big production, visiting Victoria, at a dollar and a half price, and all the other scenes amounted to nothing, you'd go away with the impression that you hadn't been cheated, for "Fate" would save the show—which statement leads to the argument that this production at Pantages is alone easily worth the Pantages admission fee—that is, if you care for real classy character dramatics. It is a heart story of romance, comedy and tragedy taken from life in "Little Italy," true to the picturesque local coloring and the acting is simply superb. It is the cleverest bit of high class character drama ever presented in a local vaudeville theatre.

Trash & Montgomery in a very pleasing singing, talking and dancing act, Elmer Lissendeir in stories and song, Miss DeBell, vocalist and dancer, illustrated song and moving pictures complete the new bill all entertaining. Don't fail to see "Fate.'

Great Programme at the Empress Theatre

Although this popular place of amusement is undergoing a complete renovation, a splendid programme has been provided by the enterprising manager. The first feature consists of a thousand feet of film portraying a most vivid and exciting caribou hunt, which should prove of educational value, as well as being highly interesting. The reel, which is entitled to second place, consists of a stroy of every-day life and heart interest, entitled "The Man in the Overalls,' which cannot help but appeal to all. "Vaudeville" and "Purchasing a Dog,' provide the comedy for the programme, thus making it one of the best yet presented. Miss Nyland's sweet voice will be heard at great advantage in one of the latest picture melodies direct from Witmark & Co.'s publishing house, and Mr. Levelle will play selections from the most famous comic operas, including "Gingerbread Man," "Geisha," "Country Girl," "Floradora," "Dolly Varden," "San Toy," "Chinese Honeymoon Strollers," "La Paupee," "H. M. S. Pinafore," "Patience," etc., etc. Friday night will be amateur night, and the management promises a very fine programme, which will include some of the finest local talent in the city of Victoria. All intending amateurs should get their names in as soon as possible, to enable the arranging of rehearsals, etc. Cash prizes will be given to competitors. There will be no matinees until further notice, owing to the alterations being made to front of theatre.

Romano Theatre

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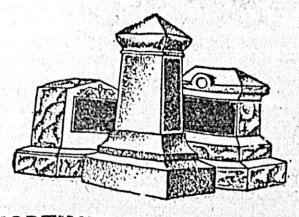

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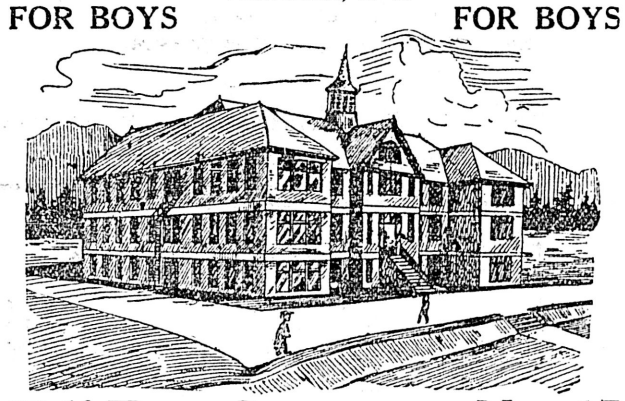

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In Woman's Realm

Here and There

"You do not take much care of your cemetery" was the remark of a visitor as the car passed Ross Bay on a lovely morning recently. And then, looking around at mountain and sea and green fields, he added, "And it could be made a very beautiful place."

The visitor was not quite right, as a walk through the cemetery would have shown him. There are many hundreds of people in Victoria who spend both time and money in keeping the last resting place of the bodies of those who are dear to them, in order. But there are more who find that their duties to the living prevent their giving that personal and constant care which is necessary to prevent even the smallest plot of ground from looking neglected. Many die in this city of the farthest west who have left their dear ones far away. Under our present system the graves of these are uncared for, and the seeds of weeds that grow upon them are distributed far and wide, to the great distress of those who try to keep their own plots beautiful.

There does not seem, however, to be any plan followed in the adornment of the place. Each follows her own inclination or taste, for, apart from the erection of monuments, it is women who take upon themselves the duty of caring for the last resting place of the dead. There is a great deal of money spent in one way or other at Ross Bay. How much more would be required to employ such a staff as would be necessary to carry out some plan that would result in making this hillside one of the loveliest spots on the continent is a matter well worth considering. It may be that under proper management, the sums now contributed by private individuals with the city grant would cover the cost of all necessary outlay.

Another matter that ought to be decided at once is whether the cemetery is to be still further enlarged or whether the present space is all that will be permitted to be acquired for that purpose. In either event there is no reason why the present site should be abandoned for many generations. There is all the more reason why steps should be taken without delay to prevent the overgrowth which has caused pain to so many in the case of the Quadra street cemetery. Would it not be well for the women of Victoria to make enquiries into a matter that concerns them very nearly?

While it is very satisfying to learn from the statement of the Medical Health Officer that there are so few contagious diseases in the city, it is to be hoped that no time will be lost in making the isolation hospital all that such an institution should be.

Are there any by-laws in Victoria concerning the proper protection of food during the summer months? Now that the fruit season is on, strawberries and other small fruits intended to be eaten raw ought to be kept from being covered with dust and flies. Buyers have, to some extent, the control of this matter in their own hands. If housekeepers were to resolve not to buy berries which are left uncovered, those who sell fruit would take pains to screen them. But even careless and ignorant people should be protected from the danger to health that comes from using food that has been exposed to contamination. This is a matter to which the Medical Health Officer might well direct his attention.

The health experts of both Boston and New York have been studying the milk supply of those cities in all its aspects. Doctors at Harvard University who have made bacteriology a subject of special study have found that pasteurization, as generally practiced, does not destroy the dangerous bacteria in milk so completely as to render it safe to use after it has been kept a long time. On the other hand, the heat does destroy living organisms which are not injurious to health. All that milk from healthy cows needs, these authorities say, is to keep it perfectly clean, and the only preservative allowable is ice.

There is no city which can afford to have a milk supply which is not pure, but Victoria is especially fortunate in its freedom from extreme heat. There are very few days even in midsummer when milk placed in a cool place cannot be kept sweet for twenty-four hours. The necessity of making every vessel in which milk is kept, as sweet as boiling water can make it cannot too often be impressed upon all housekeepers.

The people of Winnipeg have established a Juvenile Court in that city and a full report of its work for the year 1908-1909 has been issued by F. J. Billiarde, Superintendent of Neglected Children. The people of the Prairie City seem to be fully alive to the danger of allowing children to grow up uncared for. The detention home has been put in charge of Staff Captain and Mrs. McAmmond of the Salvation Army. Playgrounds were opened in many parts of the city. These were either supervised by monitors or the children were encouraged to establish a system of self-government. The superintendent himself acted as chief probation officer and the Juvinile Court Judge was J. Wayne Daly.

The efforts of the department have been in the direction of reforming the home. Mr. Billiarde in his report says:

"The parents are the vital factors in the home, and when all that has been done or is proposed to be done for the welfare of the child is placed in the balance, the preservation of the home outweighs all the rest. The home is the normal place for the child, and, if he be wayward, the proper place for his reform. The problem, in short, is the best method of saving and reform the home, and therefore the impressing upon, and if need be the punishing of, careless parents for the delingnencies of their children, is playing an increasing important part in Juvenile Court law."

That the influence of the system upon the homes has been good would seem to be proved by the fact that of 503 cases dealt with 261 have been satisfactorily disposed of out of court.

"The children," we are told, "have responded to the kindly influences and wise treatment of the Detention Home, and have carried these habits out to their own homes, astonishing their parents, thus we are educating both children and parents."

Of the 202 children cared for at the Detention Home we are told that only five per cent went back to their old habits. Judge Daly and the superintendent both speak in warning and somewhat despondent tones of the work of the Court among young girls.

The Judge says: "Mothers should know who their children associate with. They should be personally acquainted with both the girl and boy friends of their daughters. No girl should be allowed out at night unless accompanied by some member of her family, or a friend well known to the family."

"I have had to deal with a class of girls, altogether too numerous, who have been allowed to drift into habits and conduct of life that were fast leading them to the brink of destruction. This work has not been confined to the Court, but at the request of parents. I have visited many homes in order to try and influence girls in the right direction Invariably I find this class of girls has for companions both young women and young men who are unknown to her family and who are never brought to her home She keeps late hours, going to rinks and other places of amusement, and coming home when it suits her, accompanied by a young man who is a perfect stranger to the household."

It is to be feared that the picture so graphically drawn by Judge Daly is too often to be seen in our own city and that his warning to mothers is needed everywhere in Canada. Though he does not despair of help for such young girls the judge admits that the way of reform is difficult. In all other respects the report is a very cheering one and shows that the organizations for the help of children in the city of Winnipeg are doing splendid work. Those who take an interest in the reform of children will find this report very interesting. It is called "The Child, The Home, The Parent and the State," and is published at the Legislative Building, Winnipeg.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

Playgrounds and Posterity.

Sir—The member of the Colonist staff who is responsible for the "Woman's Realm" column does good service (among many other good works) in calling attention to the necessity of cities providing playgrounds for children.

Apparently the young communities of the West, with the centuries of experience of older cities behind them, from which to draw wisdom, give little thought to this vital feature of urban life. The new city of Vancouver, it is announced, is already up against the results of its folly in permitting every foot of available space to be turned into city lots, and the chief of police declares that he "does not know what to do with the children," who have either to play on the public streets or trespass on private property. And he might have added that modern civilization is every year making the streets more dangerous for children.

The problem of the congested districts confronts almost every growing city of the new world, and has become so pressing in the larger ones of the United States and Canada that associations of earnest citizens are being formed to raise money for the purpose of undoing the mistakes of former generations, mistakes due, no doubt, to ignorance and an entire absence of public spirit.

The questions being asked by these associations are: What is to be the future of the city-bred races of human beings where children are to be denied strength-developing exercise in the open air? What is to happen to the health and physique, and what of the morals of the races reared where are no playgrounds, where every vacant lot is closed in with iron, stone, cement, brick and wood, where the children are driven out, and there are no vacant spaces for their play? What can happen to a people who would permit such a ruthless crime against childhood, but a downward course of degeneracy and final extinction?

It should be remembered that, whilst we are properly anxious concerning the conservation of our natural resources, the physical strength of our people is the resource from which all other resources derive their value. The best criterion, too, of real civilization and refinement may be taken to be, a scrupulous regard for the lives and health of the population, constant care for the well being of the youth of the country, and combined with these a high conception of duty to posterity.

The hope of the future is that through your efforts the lessons to be learned from other cities will not go unheeded by Victoria, which is destined to be a large city. Now is the time to take up this question, to amplify what has been already done by laying down and adopting a system of acquiring, whenever possible, public squares and playgrounds throughout the city and suburbs, thereby adding greatly to the beauty of the place, but at the same time preserving for the unnumbered thousands who will make this favored spot their homes the blessings which the happy youth of Victoria of today so greatly enjoys.

H. A. MUNN.

Victoria May 28, 1910.

Asphalt Pavement.

Sir—In your issue of today there is a paragraph to the effect that the city engineer has visited Seattle and there ascertained that asphalt makes a good pavement and one likely to be satisfactory for Victoria.

It would be interesting to learn to whom asphalt will be satisfactory, and on what grounds information from Seattle on road-making is thought to be of value. Who will welcome asphalt here? Certainly not the horsemen, who regards it with horror, because in summer it is hot and irritating to the hoofs, in winter it is converted by the slightest frost into a positive peril, and perennially, owing to its lack of resilience and of foothold, it is most dangerout and destructive to horses' legs and joints. Not the motorist, who knows the dangers of skidding which is inevitable on asphalt after only a shower of rain; nor the housholder whose interests require a noiseless pavement; and certainly not the ratepayer to whom it proves more expensive than better pavements.

Will some advocate of asphalt, the Colonist itself for instance, tell us who will be satisfied with this pavement, and what is its one advantage—if it have one. If asphalt be satisfactory why did Paris and London, the two best-governed and most progressive cities in the world in all municipal matters, discontinue laying it about a quarter of a century ago, and not only discard it but begin to tear up all that had been laid and replace it with wood blocks? an example that has been since followed by all the foremost cities of Europe and is now being imitated by New York and Philadelphia. Why, when we have the benefit of years of patient experiment in cities of the longest and most advanced civilization in the world at our disposal, should we go to a country that is notorious for having the worst paved towns extant, and to a city that has not been long enough on the map to have learn anything about pavements.

Surely, after the reservoir muddle and the high-pressure pumps fiasco, Victoria is not content to remain the corpus vile for Yankee experiments in engineering problems, which were solved in Europe before Seattle was invented. According to the official reports of the London County Council wood pavement is the best, the cheapest, lasts the longest, is the easiest to repair, the most popular.

That it is more sanitary and less dusty than asphalt is undeniable.

If the authorities of Victoria, instead of wasting money in obtaining advice from tyros in street problems would learn to lay the wood blocks intelligently, (would in the first place set the blocks diagonally across road instead of at right-angles to the kerb), they would do more for the welfare and progress of the city than by adopting antiquated and obsolete methods on the recommendation of people as inexperienced as themselves. Victoria has many advantages as a residential city; let us add to them by adopting the best methods of street-laying we can, more especially when the best is, as in this case, proved to be the cheapest as well.

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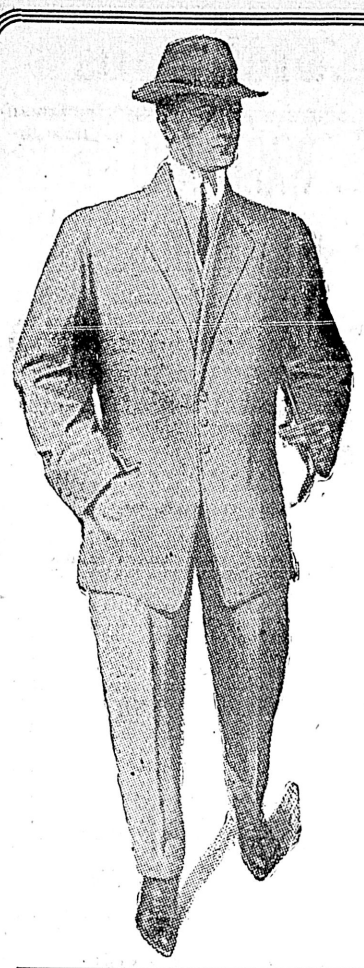

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Though official confirmation is lacking there seems some good reason to believe that King George V. will maintain the racing stable of his late Majesty. This is good news from the point of view of lovers of the turf, a national institution which owes so much to royal support. Of course all engagements of the late King's horses are automatically voided, the chief disappointment being the scratching of last year's Derby winner, Minoru, from the Ascot cup. It is probable that Minoru and his stable companions will run this season, if seen out at all, in the colors of a popular sportsman who is an intimate friend of King George V. Minoru's lease does not terminate until the end of this racing season, when the colt goes back to Mr. Hall Walker.

Derby Prospects

The Derby is run today and nothing has transpired since the Guineas to make it look anything but a match between Lemberg and Neil Gow. Where one finishes, there should the other be, unless, indeed, the mile and a half is too long for one of the two, and this is most unlikely. It is difficult to think that any of the beaten lot can reverse the Two Thousand form, for even if it be allowed that Admiral Hawke was by no means wound up, there is his two-year-old running to prove that he is inferior to Neil Gow and Lemberg. Then again Tressady has thrice fallen this season and there seems no reason to look for abnormal improvement this last month. Placidus never won a race last year and was "down the course" in the Kempton Park Nursery with only 7st. 10lb. on his back Last year Charles O'Malley was the best public runner of the two-year-olds in Lewis' stable, but his form was distinctly behind the best of his year.

Chance for Surprise.

The one thing that suggests that there may be a chance for a turnup is that all the leading horses in the Guineas were very close together. The first and second were officially only two lengths and it looked a very short two lengths—in front of Whisk Broom and Placidus, Tressady and Admiral Hawke were close up, with Rochester not far behind. Probably there was not more than three lengths between the first three, but on the other hand the jockeys of Neil Gow and Lemberg were almost certainly waiting on each other, and as neither made his effort until they were beginning the last furlong it is probable that they would have drawn further ahead if they had set to work on their respective mounts a little sooner than they did. It is not possible to have any great confidence in the result, but still there appears no reason why Neil Gow should not confirm the Newmarket form on Epsom Downs. But it will be a gloomy enough scene without his late Majesty, and for those fortunate enough to witness that wonderful demonstration when Minoru won last year.

Death of Augustus Manning..

A very severe loss to yachtsmen all over the world is caused by the recent death of Mr. Augustus Manning, in his 72nd year, having but lately retired from a ten year's tenure of the all important office of senior vice president of the Yacht Racing association. An engineer by profession he possessed a complete technical knowledge of the practical and theoretical side of yacht architecture, and was himself a yachtsman of no small repute. But his great work—a monument that must survive for all time—was contained in his successful efforts to bring about the establishment of the international rule for yacht measurement, which was followed by the establishment of the International Yacht Racing union. That great achievement of achieving harmony from chaos would probably have fallen under any other direction, and it was the tact, strength and unchallenged authority of Mr. Manning which brought it to a success. The International rule adopted four years ago and now subscribed to by every civilized nation, gave the death blow to "racing machines" of the skimming dish type, because it is framed on the principle that you must build a good strong hull and one of fairly habitable shape if you want to win prizes. On the top of this hull you place practically an unrestricted sail plan—anything the yacht will carry; enormous sails in light weather, reefed mainsail and smaller head sails in heavy weather. So great has been the success of the international rule this season that no less than 388 vessels will be racing under it, of which 54 are British. There are besides the three big schooners, Meteor, Germania and Westward built under it.

Accident to Brynhild

Curiously enough though and at present unexplained accident has happened to the Nicholson cutter Brynhild of the 23 metre International class, which capsized and sank Monday week, while racing with White Heather and Shamrock, owned by Mr. Myles Kennedy and Sir Thomas Lipton respectively. This accident is serious, for it reduces the first class cutters (23 metre) to two, thus entaling a series of matches, such as took place last season between these two boats, Brynhild not being fitted out. Brynhild was designed by Nicholson for Sir James Pender, but in her first season was beaten by White Heather, who carried everything before her. In the following season Brynhild was altered and improved, but it happened that the new Shamrock IV. arrived on the scene and the Nicholson cutter had again the worst of it. Last season the Brynhild was not fitted out. During the past winter some important alterations have been made in her hull, with the one object of increasing buoyancy with a corresponding increase in sail plan. Her keel was recast and broadened and the midship section padded. It is necessary to wait mail reports of the accident before the cause can be located, but the explanation naturally suggests that Brynhild was carrying too much sail in an effort to distance the newer craft. Anyway it is the first considerable failure under the International rule.

The Barry-Sullivan Fiasco

Columns and columns of the English sporting press have been taken up by the controversy over the dismissal by Guy Nickalls of Tom Sullivan, trainer to Ernest Barry, who next August is to row Richard Arnst on the Zambesi river for the sculling championship of the world. It certainly does appear that Sullivan was not well treated and that Mr. Nickalls showed the minimum amount of tact and consideration. However he doubtless thought that a change was necessary. J. T. ("Bossy") Phelps of Putney has taken Sullivan's place, and he is acknowledged to be a most capable trainer. This controversy has yet further dampened the enthusiasm of the public and the subscription list is still very lean. There appears no doubt however that the race will be pulled off and Barry is not to blame for the unfortunate incident. Indeed Barry is quite of the highest type of professional aquatic sportsman.

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GOSSIP AMONG THE PUGILISTS

Why Jeffries Is Popular and His Real Manager—Caesar Attell Said to Be Coming Back—Driscoll Ill

"Gratitude is one of the things in this world that measures a man's real character and popularity with the people," declares Jack McAuliff, the old-time lightweight champion, here during the last week in vaudeville.

"Jim Jeffries has lots a lot of friends by his attitude toward Billy Delaney, to whom he owes everything he is, pugilistically. I remember well when big Jeffries, then a more novice, noted principally because Delaney picked him up in Corbett's trainnig camp when Jim was preparing for Fitzsimmons, was billed to box Armstrong in New York. The big, husky boiler maker was touted strongly by the Coast papers, and Delaney said extravagant things about him in interviews in the East. Well, Armstrong simply made a monkey of big Jeff, and you ought to have heard the crowd hoot Jeff and make fun of Delaney. Delaney stood all that criticism and roasting and clung to his belief that Jeff would one day make a great fighter in spite of his big, slow, awarkedness. And Delaney made Jeff fast, made him quick on his feet and made him the most remarkable big man athletics ever knew. Delaney did it, I say, and Jim Jeffries ought to know it and appreciate it. No other man in the world would have none it, either."

Jeff's Real Manager.

A great many folks think that James J. Jeffries is a strong-willed, determined man who sets his jaw like an iron trap when he makes up his mind and will yield to only one person—Sammy Berger, his shrewd and stalwart manager. Not so. The real manager of Jim Jeffries is a little housewifely woman named Mrs. James J. Jeffries, wife of the famous former champion. When they were fighting over the referee question Jeff wasn't saying very much. He allowed Berger to keep in the limelight and do the spouting, but down at Ben Lomond Mrs. Jeffries had said to her husband: "Jim, don't let them name Jack Welsh for referee, for you would surely get the worst of it. And, Jim, if they do name him at any time don't you fight."

Therefore, James J. whispered a few words to Berger and despite anything Sam could say Jim still stuck to his declaration that he wouldn't fight if Welsh was referee.

Now, who is boss of masterful James J. Jeffries?

Johnson's Troubles.

It broke Jack Johnson's heart pretty nearly when he had to cut down his automobile riding. Even then Jack would order his car brought around in front of the Seal Rock hotel and gaze at it long and lovingly.

Johnson is doing some real work now. Through some underground system of newsgetting he knows almost everything that goes on at Jeff's camp down the coast at Ben Lomond almost as soon as it happens.

Jack is so confident of winning that he stands ready to bet his automobile on the outcome, and while he is in the betting, he declares that it will mean a better cleanup for himself and his friends.

Casar Coming Back.

Recurring to the battle between Abe Attell and Jem Driscoll in July for the world's featherweight championship recalls the announcement by Champion Able that his brother Caesar is going to get back into the fighting business. Caesar has been in business on the Coast, but he saw his brothers, Able and Monte, making money so fast that he came to the conclusion that he would join the Attell brothers, Caesar used to do some fighting.

"Believe me," says Able in discussing Ceasar, "he used to be a wonder in a short battle. But I want Caesar to stick to the Coast for they don't treat me right around New York, and I know he wouldn't get any better treatment. Let me show them a thing or two when I meet Driscoll. That's all."

Wolgast vs. Powell.

Ad Wolgast and Lew Powell may meet for a short fight before the Pacific Athletic club of Los Angeles early next month.

Driscoll Ill.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Jem Driscoll, England's featherweight champion, collapsed in his training quarters Saturday and is now in bed very ill. His battle with Jack Goodman, scheduled for Tuesday night, has been declared off, and there is every probability that he will have to call off his fight with Abe Attell in San Francisco on July 2. Driscoll had been complaining of not feeling well ever since he arrived in this country three weeks ago, and attributed it to the change of climate and thought he would soon recover. He continued to train, however, but confined his work to light, easy stunts. On last Thursday he went to Philadelphia and boxed a six-round bout with Pal Moore who was given credit for outpointing him. His illness possibly explains his defeat.

Beat World's Record

PHILADELPHIA, May 31 — Matt McGrath, of the Irish American A. A. C. of New York, made a new world's record of 16 feet 1 inch in throwing the 56 pound weight for height in today's A.O.H. games in this city. This breaks the former record by one-eighth of an inch. The record, however, will stand as an exhibition record only, as McGrath's best throw in the competition was only 16 feet.

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COAST MEN MAY RACE IN WINNIPEG

Vancouver Expected to Send a Number Entries for Big Road Contest in Manitoba June 25

WINNIPEG, May 31.—The Pacific coast will again likely send a representative to compete in The Telegram's big road race on June 25th, as Chief of Police Chamberlain is already trying to induce the speedy men of Vancouver to come east.

The chief, who is president of the British Columbia Amateur League, will be remembered as the man who brought the famous Gillis boys to the Dominion championship games last summer and the way that his men cleaned up on that occasion shows that if he sends any men here for the big race they will be top notchers.

Chandler represented the far west in the race last year, and although he was strongly fancied, he did not make the showing that was expected of him. The running game has received a great boost at the coast this spring, and there are a large number of runners eager to make the trip here. They are all good ones, and will be warmly welcomed by local athletes.

BOXING AGAIN ON THE SOUND

SEATTLE, May 31 — Professional boxing will soon be opened here, according to the plans of a group of promoters who have announced the organization of the Elliott Bay Athletic Club. The first match is to be a 6-round affair between Eddie Marino and Pete McVeigh, both of Seattle, and will be pulled off in a local theatre.

The authorities so far have interposed no objections. The same club matched Marino and Kid Scaler a few weeks ago, but Scaler has since left town, and the match was called off. It is understood that no attempt will be made by the city or county officials to prevent the boxing matches so long as they are kept free from any suspicion of crooked work.

The news that Seattle would allow boxing travelled fast and it brought a couple of questionable promoters from San Francisco, but they soon learned that there was nothing doing for them and returned to California. Local sentiment among many business men is decidedly in favor of professional boxing, if cleanly conducted, and Seattle will begin bidding for big matches if the first prove successful.

FINAL BLOW TO NEW YORK RACING

ALBANY, N. Y., May 31.—The final blow against racing in this state was struck today when the legislature passed two more of the so-called anti-oral betting bills, which have been urged by Governor Hughes.

One bill makes directors of racing associations criminally liable for violating the anti-gambling laws on their race tracks. This bill, horsemen declare, will finally seal the doom of racing.

The second bill is the "oral betting" bill proper. It prohibits the laying of odds, either with or without writing.

The Perkins bill placing gambling on race tracks under the penalties which apply to other gambling institutions possibly will pass the assembly tomorrow.

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MATCHES FIXED FOR BALL TEAM

University of Washington Here on Saturday — Series of Games Running Into First Days of July

BASEBALL FIXTURES

June 4: Victoria vs. University of Washington.
June 10 and 11: Victoria vs. Wellers Pioneers.
June 24 and 25: Victoria vs. Ballard.
July 1 and 2: Victoria vs. Bellingham.

Foregoing is the menu which Manager Wattalet, of the Victoria Baseball nine, has prepared for the entertainment of local fans. Beginning with Saturday's engagement with the students of Washington State the home ball tossers will meet opponents worthy of their steel in every respect. There isn't a team among those mentioned that isn't fast and most are numbered among the highest class amateur organizations playing just the other side of the water.

The match which is most engaging the attention of Wattalet, his supporters and fans in general at present is the Saturday bickering with University of Washington. The latter always are a good team. Whether they are as strong now as a couple of years ago is problematical, because one or two of their well-known men have left the institution. But the vacancies are said to have been efficiently filled. Therefore it is a safe conclusion that when the Victoria bunch take the field at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Royal Athletic grounds they will be confronted with a task more formidable than any that has been essayed since the season's opening.

The home line-up will remain unchanged, in all its essentials. That is to say the infield will be the same, with the exception of the battery, while the outfield will comprise the old reliables who have so often delighted the enthusiastics with their safe and well-judged work in the expansive gardens.

Who will pitch and which of the two men available will pose at backstop are questions which cannot, at the present juncture, be answered definitely. However, it's Steenson's turn to twirl and it is probable that he will grace the box. It is thought that Fryburg will receive Robertson at the catching game.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Northwestern.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Tacoma	21	18	.538
Vancouver	20	18	.526
Spokane	20	19	.512
Seattle	16	22	.421

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Spokane	4	11	1
Seattle	1	3	3

Batteries—Bonner and Ostdich; Wall and Carter.

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Vancouver	3	10	1
Tacoma	1	4	0

Batteries—Jensen and Lewis; Godely and Byrnes.

Coast.

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	6	8	1
Los Angeles	3	6	0

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Vernon	3	6	2
San Francisco	1	5	2

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	1	5	1
Portland	0	3	0

National.

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	4	7	1
Boston	1	6	1

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
New York	4	6	0
Philadelphia	2	10	5

At Pittsburg—Rain and cold.

American.

First Game.	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	2	0
Philadelpiah	0	4	1

Second Game.	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	7	0
Boston	2	6	1

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
New York	5	8	1
Washington	1	4	2

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	3	7	1
St. Louis	1	6	1...

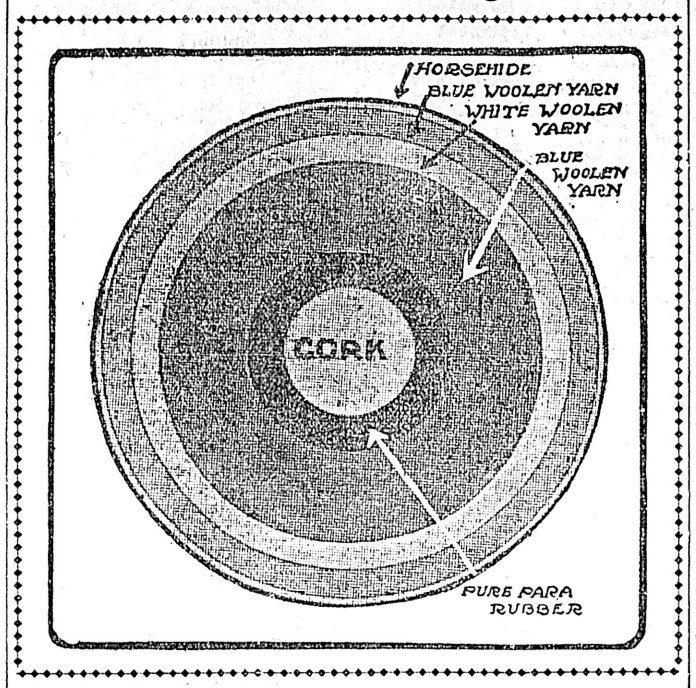
At Chicago: Cleveland-Chicago—Rain and cold.

Eastern

Clubs:	R.	H.	E.
Montreal	3	5	0
Buffalo	0	4	0

First Game:	R.	H.	E.
Rochester	3	4	1
Toronto	1	8	4

Composition of the Amateur League Ball



KENNEL CLUB'S ANNUAL MEETING

Officers Elected at Session This Evening—Fanciers Preparing for Duncans Show This Month

The annual meeting of the Victoria Kennel club will take place tonight at Labor hall, when business of the utmost importance will be transacted. Officers will be elected for the ensuing term and plans will be made for summer attractions.

Show At Duncan.

Most of Victoria's dog fanciers are preparing to make entries in the show which is to be held at Duncan this month. Representation is looked for from Nanaimo, Vancouver, New Westminster as well as this city. Specialists judges are being appointed, a splendid list of prizes offered, and it is expected that the exhibition will be the finest from every standpoint yet brought off under the auspices of the Duncan club.

GOTCH AND ZYBOZKU WRESTLE TONIGHT

CHICAGO, May 31.—Frank Gotch, of Iowa, will defend the world's wrestling championship against Stanislaus Zabszko, of Poland, in a finish catch-as-catch-can match at the Coliseum tomorrow night. The promoters say the match is for a purse of $25,000. It will be Gotch's first appearance since he defeated Mahmout more than a year ago. On sheer strength the Polish champion would be an easy winner, but Gotch's cleverness and speed are expected to offset this advantage.

ROSEBERY'S NEIL GOW IS FAVORITE

Danny Maher Will Ride Public's Choice in Derby Today Lemberg Satisfactory to His Trainer

LONDON, May 31.—Interest is centred again on the Derby, the classic event of the English turf, which will be run tomorrow at Epsom Downs. Tonight Lord Rosebery's Neil Gow seems to be the general favorite. Danny Maher will have this mount, and, quite apart from the fact that Lord Rosebery has several times captured the blue ribbon of the turf, the record of both colt and jockey justifies the confidence which the general public is displaying in the Rosebery entry.

Last year the Derby was captured by King Edward's Minoru, and prior to the running of the event, excitement was at fever heat over the prospects of a driving finish between Minoru and the American horse Sir Martin, owned by Louis Winans. This year, however, the American entries look to have small chance for victory, August Belmont's Merry Talk, by Octagon, is rated low in the list, while nearly all the American entries have been withdrawn.

The second choice in the betting is Mr. Fairie's Limberg, half brother to Bayardo, who after being highly favored for the big stakes last year, went wrong. Limberg showed good form as a two-year-old, and is said to have developed to the satisfaction of his trainer. Another entry certain to prove a contender is Admiral Sauke, a chestnut colt by Gallenul, owned by Major Eustace Loder.

The Derby stakes are of 6,500 sovereigns, and the distance is about one and a half miles.

McFARLAND-WELCH MATCH POSTPONED

Purse $10,000 Said to Have Been Delivered by Welsh for Second Mill.

CHICAGO, May 31.—John McFarland, brother of Packy McFarland, the pugilist, received a cablegram from the latter from London today, stating that the Wonderland Club, of London, had offered a purse of $10,000, winner to take all, for another match between McFarland and Freddy Welsh. The cablegram added that Welsh declined the offer.

Newark	9	12	4
Jersey City	2	7	2

FIGHT GOES ON

Board of Supervisors of San Francisco Grants Permit—Row in Johnson's Camp.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—With but two dissenting votes and without preliminary discussion, the permit for the 45 round battle on July Fourth, between Jeffries and Johnson was granted today by the board of supervisors. The board room was crowded with representatives of churches and civic organizations who did not get a chance to voice their protests. The permit was advanced on the board's calendar and passed before the objectors knew it. When they learned that the permit had been granted the protestants indignantly left the room in a body. By their action the board of supervisors removed the last of the preliminary obstacles in the way of the promoters, who will now proceed with the erection of the arena. District Attorney Fickert and the Chief of Police have already announced that they will not prevent the contest.

That Billy Nolan, formerly manager of Battling Nelson, will eventually assume command at Johnson's camp is a story that gained credence tonight. The story is backed by a fight that took place between Manager George Little and Sig. Hart, one of the training staff. As gossip goes, there has been anything but harmony between Little and Hart, and it finally culminated in a physical contest, in which Little is said to have stretched Hart out on the road while the members of the camp were playing baseball. There was an end to the affair only when Johnson gave little a tongue lashing It is said that Little has been shorn of all real authoritly. Nolan has admitted that he has been indirectly sounded on the subject of taking charge. Nolan was instrumental in having Billy Delaney installed as chief adviser at the Johnson camp.

BRITAIN'S DUTY TOWARDS EGYPT

(Continued from Page 1.)

"You have tried to do too much," he said, "in the interests of the Egyptians themselves. Those who have to do with uncivilized peoples, especially fanatical people, must remember that in such a situation as that which faces you in Egypt, weakness, timidity and sentimentality may cause infinitely more harm than violence. Sentimentality is the most broken reed on which righteousness can lean."

He prefaced his remarks on Egypt with the statement that he spoke as an unprejudiced outsider, as an American and a real democrat, whose first duty was to war against violence, injustice, and wrongdoing wherever found. He preffered his advice only in accordance with the principles on which he had acted as president, in dealing with the Philippines, and he declared that the present conditions of affairs in Egypt was a grave menace to the British Empire and to civilization.

WARDS AND WESTS TO CROSS STICKS

City Lacrosse Teams Compete In Opening League Match of Season at Royal Athletic Park Tonight

When the North Ward and Victoria West teams face each other this evening at the Royal Athletic Park the finest lacrosse match of the season should result. The twelves are evenly balanced. It would be hard to find two aggregations between which the wise ones find such difficulty in venturing a prediction of the winner. Judging by past performances the homes of both are just a little weak, while the defences are exceptionally strong for district teams. They should give a splendid exhibition. The prospects are that the supporters of both will be out in force, as it is the opening match of the local championship series.

With the Wests about the flags will be H. Campbell, A. Clegg, McLaughlan, Styles, Stanley Okell and Ross. All these names are familiar to Victoria sportsmen, especially those fond of the National game. They make a hard bunch to get past. On the same division for the Wards are, among others, B. Johnson, F. Sweeney, Dakers, Nole, Kroeger and Brynjolfson. They also are strong and should make a defense capable of holding the lands from the district across the harbor well in check. On the home for the Wests are Bailey, Semple, Perkins, Johnson, Wilson and Stevens. These chaps are not as well-known, but they have been training hard, and Victoria West people believe they won't have much difficulty in boring an opening into the Ward's flags. On the latter's attack are Humber, Petticrew, Sargison, McDonald, Morris, McDougal, Martin, Phipps, McGregor and Baker. They are a splendid combination and, because of their goodly appearance, the Wards are just a little—a very little—the favorites.

An Easy Victory

GRAVESEND, N.Y., May 31.—Before a big crowd Fitzherbert today easily won the Brooklyn handicap, 1¼ miles, defeating a good field. Fitzherbert went to the front at the start, and setting a fast pace, leading by three lengths all the way, won by a length. Olambala closed fast around the upper turn and finished a good second, with Prince Imperial third.

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PRESENTS CASE OF PULP ENTERPRISE

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other companies succeeded in carrying out their undertaking as projected?

The reply was that the market counted upon would not be materially affected by the operations of the others so far as could be ascertained.

An how do these former grants compare with yours? Have they any advantage over you?

The reply was, "several." These mills had been given the timber first, on the condition that they should build mills to utilize it. This company was prepared to build the mill first and only obtain the timber conditionally upon its continuous operation.

Mr. Flumerfelt: "On the condition that the government gives you this grant, you are ready to guarantee to erect and equip your plant and to operate it continuously?"

"Yes," was Mr. Bremner's reply.

"What if there proved to be no market for your product? Would you expect the government to declare your lands forfeited?"

"Yes."

"So that your title would be held in trust?"

"You might put it that way.

Mr. Flumerfelt remarked that no government would peremptorily order the forfeiture of lands set apart for an industry that had made large investments in its plant. This company in such an event would come back to the government for concessions and assistance in its difficulties as others have done.

Mr. Bremner replied that he was quite in earnest in his statement of the company's position.

Commissioner Flumerfelt next inquired if the desired concession would give the company any advantage over existing companies? The reply was no. The company would have lands which these other companies had discarded. These other companies had come in at an earlier period and had infinitely more favorable opportunities for selection when there were fewer leaseholders in existence.

"Dont' you think that the first-comers are entitled to some advantages," asked Mr. Flumerfelt?

"Yes," was the reply, "and we are accepting a distinct disadvantage. We do not expect more than ten thousand feet to the acre, while the others will have from thirty to forty thousand feet per acre, sawmill timber as well as pulping timber."

"You regard yourself as heavily handicapped then?"

The witness said yes. The handicap would more than equal twenty-five per cent. on its face. They were prepared to accept it, because this reserve was not so much for the present as for the future. Present leaseholders were milling their timber by taking out licenses, and all this land was held for in many cases was so that mill timber might be taken out on a lower basis for payment.

"In regard to cedar and fir what do you propose," asked Commissioner Flumerfelt.

"We would leave that to the government."

"What would be the result to the government if the fir timber were converted into pulp?"

"The government would obtain the same royalty," replied the witness.

Mr. Flumerfelt thought that the royalty would be halved and the rental reduced.

Benefit in Population

Mr. Bremner remarked that in any event the country would benefit incidentally through the mill bringing in population.

The witness was asked if the same available markets had not been accessible to the manufacturers of Quebec?

"From what I hear," said Mr. Bremner, "the manufacture of fibre has not been a success there or in the United States, through inexpert direction."

"Mr. Haslam states," said Mr. Flumerfelt, "that the pulp lessees should be encouraged to use the waste of the present timber men?"

The witness conceded that this might be desirable from the government's standpoint, but when it would not pay to do this, the pulp mill man would want to be able to fall back upon a really substantial reserve of virgin timber.

"If you open a limit to log it for pulp," asked Mr. Flumerfelt, "would not that endanger the left fir and cedar?"

The witness agreed that it would.

"Then," said Mr. Flumerfelt, "there is that drawback. Would you be agreeable to take out a timber license, if any milling timber was made use of?"

"Yes," said Mr. Bremner, 'upon the initiation of operations only." He regarded his company as still under a great disadvantage in comparison with the other companies. It was undoubtedly to the company's advantage to take out the mill timber.

"Would you consider that there was first-class milling timber on these limits," asked Mr. Flumerfelt.

"Yes," replied the witness.

"And you only want the same treatment as the other companies?"

"Yes, but our proposal is a concession to the government when we propose to take logged-off land on condition that we get a certain area of virgin land."

"You take this logged-off land at two cents and acre, and the govenrment gets the revenue?"

"Yes, and the royalty."

"Logging is a first essential?"

"We want it clear that we can log for the saw mill as well as for ourselves, although it is not our intention to run a regular sawmill."

"Take an extreme case," suggested Mr. Flumerfelt, 'that your lands contain 75 per cent. of fir and cedar; under your pulp leases at two cents an acre you will be paying $12.80 per square mile annually. Is that fair to the licensees who are paying $140 on their limit? Would the government be justified in doing this? You ask the government to vary the act?"

"Well," said Mr. Bremner, "you can let the fir and cedar stand then."

"That is just what could not be allowed with the increased risk of fire loss entailed," remarked the commissioner. The government had permitted the taking up of pulp leases in 1901, but had quickly realized the possibilities of abuse, and had repealed the act.

"Do you know any concessions now in the original hands?" the witness was asked.

"No," he replied, adding that his company did not require any concession in order to finance their proposition.

Many Areas Now Held

It was shown that 554 square miles were now held on pulp leases under guarantees equally strong as those proposed by this company. Had these promises been fulfilled 311,000 tons of pulp per year would now be being turned out in British Columbia. The loss in rental up to last December, if these leases had been open to staking under licenses, amounting to over $200,000, and the loss now was $70,000 annually.

"You refer to the pulp companies and suggest that sawmilling was really the big end of the business," Commissioner Flumerfelt continued.

In reply Mr. Bremner gave a synopsis of the operations proposed by these companies from their prospectuses.

"Are you willing to pay regular license fees on milling timber in your proposed leaseholds?" asked Commissioner Goodeve.

"Only unded actual operation," was the reply.

"In other words," said Mr. Goodeve, "you want to hold milling timber at $12.80 over the man holding at $140 for the same period? In fact, merchantable timber is with you a by-product?"

The reply was "No." It would be necessary to put in two classes of plants for handling both light and heavy timber. He desired to emphasize this company's position as making concessions to the government in this degard.

Commissioner Goodove: "Not a very heavy burden surely, at two cents an acre! There would be nothing in this to prevent you letting the timber alone during the whole term of the lease. Would you object, if the government should agree to your proposal, that your lease should not run longer than the old leases now in existence, which have about sxiteen years to run? All would then be on equal terms in the event of the government deciding to readjust the terms under which pulp leases might be held?"

"That would cut our time down rather badly," said Mr. Bremner, leaving the stand.

"At all events you would start level with some of the others," remarked Commissioner Fulton.

Dr. Moravec, a German chemist who had worked with the original inventor of the wood pulp process and had had twenty-five years' experience in the pulp business, was next called as a technical expert, and entered into details of pulp manufacture in the course of which he explained that the pulp mills of the United States were not an unqualified success, and did not pay, chiefly because they were not up-to-date in their machinery and equipment. Five to ten years made a very great difference and the plants of the American mills were in many cases obsolete as judged by European standards. The witness entered into an extended explanation of fibre pulp processes for the information of the commission.

Out of Date.

W. J. Whiting, a third witness, said that the question had been asked why the majority of the American mills did not show larger dividends. One reason was that the greater part of their machinery was quite out of date as compared with the plants of German, Austrian and Swedish mills. Another reason for the non-appearance of larger dividends was that in many of the American mills there was a certain amount of water in the stock. This company was a close corporation, with no stock for sale, and therefore no water in the stock. The company had entered into this proposition, prepared to put up the money and the plant. It was proposed to start with a thirty long-ton mill. If, however, they had only seen this production in sight they would never have contemplated this enterprise. It was the intention to put in a twenty-ton digestor, which would be the only one of this size on the continent, and equal to the largest German digestor. It was difficult to estimate the number of employees, but the company was prepared to give a guarantee that no Oriental labor would be employed. The question had been asked what would happen to the plant if something in the future should take the place of fibre. It was hard to look into the future, but if the manufacture of wood fibre went out the company would probably go in for the making of whatever took its place. The main thing entering into the sulphide industry was expert knowledge. Success altogether depended upon the efficiency of the expert in charge. There was an assured market for proper quality pulp. During the financial panic of 1907 the German mills, making the best quality pulp, were running night and day, while the American mills were idle. In their proposition to the government the company was asking for nothing until it had "made good." The mill would be of steel and concrete, ocean wharves would be erected, and the finest machinery installed that money could buy. All that was asked was that an assurance of raw material might be obtained when the mills were turning out thirty tons a day on say a three months' run. Any three months after the market had been established would be satisfactory

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Primarily Mr. Mann's coming is directly in connection with the initiation of actual construction of both Mainland and Islnad sections of the Canadian Northern in this Province, it being anticipated that work on the Victoria and Barkley Sound division, as well as on the mainland line, will begin simultaneously well before the close of the present month. Work on the Island division is generally expected to be initiated close to Victoria, while Mainland operations will probably begin simultaneously at Port Mann and at or near the city of Kamloops. As has been already announced, the Canadian Northern is now invited tenders for the construction of sixty miles of its road in this province, which mileage is included in the plans for the present season's building.

Mr. Mackenzie is now nearing America as a passenger on the Royal George, and is due at his home in Toronto on Friday of this week. He also is shortly expected west.

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 30 — That Jack Johnson is not a fighter who is burdened with superstitions, as are so many of his professionals, was shown today. In company with other of his helpers, Johnson was entering the rubbing room for his daily massage when it was noticed that "No. 13" was tacked over his doorway.

"Not superstitious, eh, Jack?" was the question thrown at him. "Not a bit," was the response. "Some of the boys around here objected to that number 13, for they thought it might be a hoodoo, but it does not bother me. I'm not going to beat Jim Jeffries with any rabbit foot or any other kind of a charm. I'll beat him just because I'm a better man than he is, and that will be enough. No, I'm not afraid of all the number 13 rooms in the whole world."

It was as calm around the Johnson camp this afternoon as it was busy the day before. Johnson was out for an automobile ride was the information that was given to people who wanted to see him.

He was on the road in the forenoon as usual, grinding out twelve miles of fast work in company with Tom Flanagan, Doc. Furey and George Cotton.

Marty Cutler has decided that he has had quite a sufficiency of the road work game. Cutler says it is because his feet are in poor shape, but Doc. Furey is authority for the announcement that Cutler does not want any more running.

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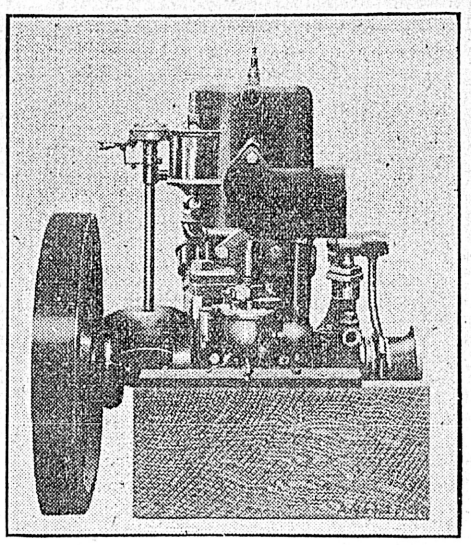

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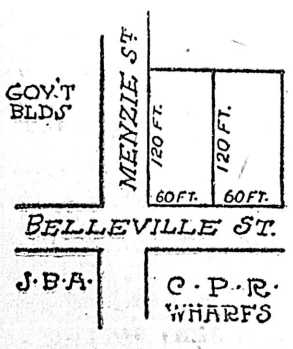

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particularly where they have families. It is a rare occurrence for the British Government to take such action respecting the regulations of a colonial administration.

London Conference

LONDON, May 31—At today's session of the emigration conference convened under the auspices of the Royal Colonial Institute, Colonel Lamb, of the Salvation Army, said the requirements of the colonies were well known. They wanted people physically and morally without blemish—those who did not drink, did not tell lies nor intend to tell lies, did not covet their neighbors' land, and who had some agricultural knowledge and capital. He did not blame the colonies when he remembered that this country was fool enough to part with everything after they had fought for these territories at tremendous cost of blood and treasure without keeping a "tag" on them. He did not blame the colonies if they took advantage of fools, as all the world did, but he would like to see the unearned increment value of land set aside for emigration purposes.

J. A. M. Aikins, of Winnipeg, defended the Canadian regulations. Canadians thought that population which was not good enough for England was not good enough for them, but the Dominion could not have too many settlers of the right sort. They had an ambition that Canada might one day become the heart of the Empire, but that did not imply that they thought Great Britain was decadent. Canada must necessarily become a great power, and was prepared to accept settlers, but only of the right sort.

Dr. William Baker, of the Barnado Homes, while admitting the friendly courtesy of Canadian officials, complained that there was a want of definiteness in the rules respecting the immigration of children. A more definite method of examining children ought to be practiced by colonial representatives, he said. He enlarged on the necessity of supervision of children in the colonies, and recommended the Barnado method to other societies.

At the afternoon session of the conference, Mr. Hazel, of the Central unemployed body, complained that the work of that body was misunderstood in Canada, because of its name. The body, he said, was careful and painstaking in selecting emigrants, and he believed that without a further act of parliament it would be possible for labor exchanges to get into communication with the colonies and set up labor exchanges between this country and the Dominions beyond the sea. If this was done with great painstaking and care a great deal of good might result.

C. S. Goldman, M.P., urged more extensive co-operation between the Home Government and the different parts of the Empire. A central emigration bureau should be formed, he said, between this country and each of the receiving colonies.

The conference passed a resolution asking the British Government to hold a conference as soon as possible to consider the subject of emigration.

At yesterday's meeting of the conference Lord Brassey moved that the Council of the Royal Colonial Institute be asked to appoint a representative standing committee to whom the recommendations of conference should be referred for consideration and such further action as may be deemed advisable. The resolution was adopted.

Sir C. Kinloch-Cooke criticized frequently the new regulations issued by Canada, which he declared were preventing emigrants already in Canada being joined by members of their families.

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On the Waterfront

PRINCE ALBERT REACHES PORT

First of the Steamships of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company Arrived in Royal Roads Yesterday from Hull

WAS ORDERED ON TO SEATTLE

Will Be Overhauled at Sound Port and Proceed to Vancouver and North to Run Between Rupert and Stewart

First of the steamers of the fleets that are to be for the Grand Trunk Pacific Company, the Prince Albert, ex-Bruno, reached Royal Roads yesterday morning after a long voyage from Hull, where she was purchased from the Wilson line of Hull, for service between Prince Rupert, Stewart, and Queen Charlotte islands. The Prince Albert did not come into this port. After passing quarantine at William Head she anchored in Royal Roads, and in the afternoon proceeded to Seattle. Orders were given to the Prince Albert on arrival here to proceed to the Sound port to dock, and the vessel will then go to Vancouver, where Capt. Hogstedt will deliver the vessel and proceed back to England, from where he is under contract to take two new steamers out to Callao for the Grace line.

The Prince Albert made the voyage from Hull to Victoria in 66 days 14 hours. She left Hull on March 25th and proceeded to St. Vincent, arriving April 4th and sailing the following day. The Strait of Magellan was reached on April 27th, when the Prince Albert passed Cape Virgin at 11 p. m., and the run from Atlantic to Pacific were made in four days and a half. Coronel was reached on May 4th, and some delay occurred there owing to holidays, the steamer proceeding after bunkering on May 7th. She came direct from the Chilian port, encountering heavy northerly winds when north of the line.

Saw the Comet

On May 16th, Capt. Hogstedt reports he had a wonderful view of the comet. The Prince Albert was in 3,48 south, 98.39 west, and at 5 a. m. the tail of the comet showed for seventy degrees, brilliant as a distant searchlight. In the Straits of Magellan the broken bow and part of a most of the wreck of a small vessel, in appearance a yacht, was sighted. This was obviously a new wreck. Nothing was learned as to how it was lost.

The Prince Albert, which was built in 1892 as the Bruno for T. Wilson Sons & Co., of Hull, was one of the "Parrot' line, so called because of their greenhulls and red stacks, and ran from Hull to the Baltic and Hamburg. She is a steel screw steamer of 841 tons gross, 424 tons net registered tonnage, with one deck and two tiers of beams. She is a two-masted vessel with a bridge deck extended well aft, and a well forward. The dimensions are 232 feet long, 30 feet beam, and 14.1 feet deep. She is engined with triple expansion engines with cylinders 23 1-2, 35 and 57 inches in diameter with 33 inch stroke. For her new owners new boilers were put in the steamer at Hull at a cost of $30,000, and some alterations were made. Electric light and other requirements for the coasting trade were added. She did fourteen to fifteen knots with her old boiler, and Capt. Hogstedt is satisfied she will average fifteen knots in her new service. She will run between Prince Rupert, Stewart and the Queen Charlotte islands.

Capt. Waymouth, now in command of the steamer Henriette, is to take charge of the Prince Albert as soon as she is delivered at Vancouver by Capt. Hogstedt, and Chief Engineer Wilson, R. N. R., who has been in charge of the machinery since 1897, will remain as chief engineer, and a number of the crew who brought the vessel out will probably remain.

Mariechen Ready

The Russian ship Mariechen, which has been put to so much trouble in the Fraser River owing to power wires obstructing her passage to Millside, has now taken down her topgallant masts and is to proceed to Millside today, a tug having been ordered for that purpose. No decision has as yet been arrived at as to who is going to pay for the work of striking and setting up the vessel's spars.

Sir James Mills Coming

Sir James Mills, head of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, is expected to arrive about June 4. He travelled up as far as Honolulu on the steamer Manuka, which is due here tonight from Australia, but left the steamer at the Hawaiian port and proceeded to San Francisco, from which city he will come north.

ANOTHER SAILER EQUIPS WITH WIRELESS

Abner Coburn Has Apparatus Installed—Everett G. Griggs of Victoria First Sailer to Have Equipment

Other sailing ship owners are following the example of Capt. Sterling of the big Victoria barkentine Everett G. Griggs, which left a few days ago bound from Royal Roads to Delagoa bay with a cargo of lumber from Chemainus, and equipping their vessels with wireless telegraphic apparatus. When the Everett Griggs was in Royal Roads wireless apparatus was installed on board, and she went to sea ready to communicate with land stations and steamships, first of the world's sailing ships to be equipped. The ship Agner Coburn, which was towed out yesterday morning with lumber from the Sound for South Africa has also been equipped, and a Japanese cabin boy, who formerly served as an operator in Japan's navy, will be in charge of the apparatus. On board the Everett G. Griggs the son of the master, Ray Sterling, will be the operator. Capt. Murray, of the Abner Coburn stated before leaving that he expected to be in communication with the Everett G. Griggs on the long voyage to South Africa.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless

POINT GREY, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar. 30.14; temp. 60; sea smooth.

CAPE LAZO, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar. 20.11; temp. 55; sea smooth.

TATOOSH, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind west three miles; bar. 30.12; temp. 55. Passed in, 3-masted schooner during night; out, Col. Drake at 5:20 a. m.

PACHENA, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; bar. 30.17; temp. 54; sea smooth.

ESTEVAN, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind west; temp. 55; sea smooth.

IKEDA, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind west; sea smooth.

PRINCE RUPERT, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; in, steamer Capilano 9:50 p. m.

POINT GREY, noon.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar. 30.08; temp. 63; sea smooth; tug Escort No. 2 with barge Georgia in town, north bound, at noon.

TRIANGLE, noon. — Clear; wind west, 8 miles; bar. 30.09; temp. 50; out, ship Abner Colburn towing at 10 a. m.

PACHENA, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; bar. 30.07; temp. 59; sea smooth.

ESTEVAN, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; temp. 55; light swell; steamer like Otter near here at 11 a. m.

IKEDA, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind W.; sea smooth.

TRIANGLE, 8. a. m.—Fog; wind S. W.; bar. 29.57; temp. 37; sea smooth; spoke Cottage City at 8:10 a. m.

PRINCE RUPERT, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; sea smooth; Princess Royal in at 9:55 a. m.; out, Capilano at 9:10 a. m.

POINT GREY, 6 p. m.—Clear; calm; bar. 29.97; temp. 69; out, steamer Cassiar 4:10 p. m.

CAPE LAZO, 6 p. m.—Clear; wind northwest; bar. 29.93; temp. 50; sea moderate.

TATOOSH, 6 p. m.—Clear; 30.05; temp. 56; out, steamer Thor 12:40 p. m.; in, steam schooner Wasp, 3:15 p. m.; str. Maverick 4:35.

TRIANGLE, 6 p. m.—Cloudy, wind northwest, light; bar. 29.55; temp. 45; sea smooth.

PACHENA, 6 p. m.—Clear; wind northwest; light; bar. 30.02; temp. 60; sea smooth.

ESTEVAN, 6 p. m.—Clear; wind northwest; temp. 51; sea moderate.

PRINCE RUPERT, 6 p. m.—Cloudy; calm; sea smooth; Princess Royal out southbound.

IKEDA, 6 p. m.—Variable wind; part cloudy; sea smooth.

NEW SCHEDULE STARTS TODAY

Vancouver Bound Steamers Will Leave Here at Earlier Times—Weekly Service to Skagway and Stewart

Today new summer schedule of the C. P. R. fleet will be commenced. The Princess Victoria will leave here at 2.15 p. m. daily for Vancouver instead of 3 p. m., as at present, and will reach Vancouver at 6.30 p. m. Inbound from Seattle the steamer will arrive at 1.15 p. m., instead of 2 p. m. as at present, omitting the call now being made at Port Townsend. The steamer Charmer will leave here nightly at 11.45 p. m., and returning from Vancouver she will arrive at 7 p. m., instead of 7.30 p. m. as at present. The Princess Charlotte will continue on her present schedule. Both the larger steamers will make daily trips, being relieved for a day fortnightly by the steamer Princess Royal. The Princess May and Princess Royal will give a weekly service to northern ports between Victoria and Skagway, one steamer leaving every Friday, and the steamer Princess Beatrice will leave Vancouver every Thursday for Stewart. The Amur will run from here on the 1st and 15th to the Queen Charlotte islands and northern British Columbia ports.

Thor Passes Out

The Norwegian steamer Thor passed out yesterday bound to San Francisco with a cargo of coal from Nanaimo.

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 31—Two members of the crew of the Union Steamship Company's vessel Waitemata, now discharging general cargo at Johnson dock, figured in the police court this morning to answer a charge of broaching cargo. They were brought up under the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act and fined $20 and costs each. Robert Simpson and Dan Gripo were the men concerned, and the evidence showed that they had got at some whiskey which formed part of the cargo.

PRINCE RUPERT HERE FRIDAY

New G. T. P. Liner Was 550 Miles From Cape Flattery on Way From Newcastle-on-Tyne to This Port

The steamer Prince Rupert of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company is expected to reach port on Friday morning. The three funnelled liner built by Swan Hunter & Wigham Richardson for the service between Seattle Victoria and Prince Rupert, was reported by wireless yesterday evening 550 miles from Cape Flattery, off the northern Californian coast. Several messages have been intercepted from the new liner. She was off San Francisco at noon yesterday and was making good progress northward. It is expected that the vessel, which is being brought out by Capt. Davis, a former Pacific Steam Navigation Company master, will pass into the Strait of Juan de Fuca tomorrow night and will reach port on Friday morning. Arrangements are being made to overhaul the new steamer at Esquimalt, and then she will be thrown open for public inspection, being taken to Seattle and Vancouver after leaving here to be inspected before starting service early in June to Prince Rupert.

Capt. Barney Johnson, a well known local shipmaster is to have command of the new liner.

Word is expected within a few days from Coronel of the new steamer Prince George, second of the three funnelled steamers of the G. T. P., which left Falmouth on May 7th, bound to Victoria.

BUILD WHARF AT STEWART

Canadian Northern Company Commences Construction According to News Brought by Steamer Princess May

The seamer Princess May returned yesterday morning from her excursion trip to Stewart and Prince Rupert with seventy-five passengers, bringing news that work had been commenced by Mackenzie & Mann on their new wharf at Stewart. This wharf will be over 2,000 feet in length. The population of Stewart is now estimated at 2,000, and three good hotels now provide accommodation there for travelers. Prince Rupert is active and is benefitting by the activity in the Portland Canal district.

UNCERTAINTY OF STEAM TONNAGE

Caution Among Grain Exporters on This Account—Coming of Tramp Steamer Causes Change.

Only an occasional fixture is being made in the coast grain freight market, the union miniumum being well maintained, says the San Francisco Commercial News in its weekly record. While there have been a fair number of vessels already taken for this business during the past several weeks, the necessary amount of tonnage is still far from completed. Shippers at present are acting very cautiously owing to the uncertainty over the amount of steam tonnage which will be available when the season actually opens. Before the tramp steamer entered the coast trade to any appreciable extent tonnage engagements could be made far in advance with reasonable assurance of the quantity of vessels available at the loading period, but now no such assurance is possible, and the situation can change in a month's time from one of scarcity of tonnage to one of over-abundance, or vice versa. The Sailing Ship Owners' Union has announced that the minimum rate of 27s. 6d. for wheat from Portland and the Sound will not become effective until September 1st; the union rate will go into effect at San Francisco July 1st.

In the lumber business several vessels have been fixed for Sydney at 31s. 3d., with Melbourne, Adelaide and Port Pirie options at 35c. to 36s. 3d. The Sydney rate is not likely to go over 31s. 3d., and may drop back to 30c. Two vessels have been taken Eureka to Sydney at private terms. Puget Sound to West Coast (steam) has been done at 2s. 9d.

Offshore lumber rates are quoted as follows: Lumber from Puget Sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 30s@31s 3d; to Melbourne or Adelaide, 35s@36s 3d; Port Pirie, 35s@36s 3d; to Fremantle, 35s@37s 6d; to China ports (steam), 3s 9d@4s 3d on gross; direct nitrate port, 40s; Callao, 40s; Valparaison for orders, 40s@42s 6d, with 2s 6d less to direct port; to South African ports, 50s. to U. K. or Continent, 52s 6d; Guaymas, $5.25; Mazatlan, $5.25; Santa Rosalia, $6; Honolulu, $5.50.

Eastern advices report orders still in the market for coal boats to Puget Sound, Honolulu and Manila, rates holding firm under light offerings.

The following general charters are reported: Bannockburn, Sydeny, C. B., to Prince Rupert, June 10 to 25, 10s; Rokeby, at Honolulu, Oceon Island to Stettin, 27s; Strahtbay, coal, Newcastle, N. S. W., to San Francisco, 15s 6d, option Acapulco 16s 9d or Guaymas 17s 3d; Glenmark, nitrate to U. K., 19s; Spithead, sugar, Java to B. C., 17s 6d, rechartered.

LOCAL STEAMERS

Vancouver Route:
Charmer leaves daily 1 a. m.; due 7 p. m.
Princess Victoria leaves daily, except Monday, 3 p. m.
Princess Charlotte due 3 p m., except Wednesday.
Seattle Route:
Princess Charlotte leaves daily, except Tuesday, 5 p. m.
Princess Victoria, due 2 p. m. daily, except Tuesday.
Steamer Iroquois, Tuesday only, due 2 p. m., leaving 5 p. m.
For Skagway:
Princess Royal.....May 3
For Northern B. C.
Vadso.....June 1
St. Denis.....June 8
Petriana.....June 8
Amur.....June 1
Princess May leaves every Friday
Queen City leaves Victoria every Tuesday.
For West Coast:
Tees.....June 1
For Orient:
Innaba Maru.....June 7
For Australia:
Maruka.....June 17
For Liverpool:
Keemun.....June 15

ICE BLOCKS WAY OF HELEN JOHNSON

Trading Schooner Bound to Cape Nome Puts Back to Await Break Up of Ice.

NOME, May 31.—Captain Louis L. Lane of the power schooner Helen Johnston, which sailed from Seattle last month on a trading cruise, telephoned from Golovin today that the schooner was at Rocky Point, eighty miles southeast of Nome.

Last Thursday he made his way onto the ice until he was only twenty eight miles from Nome, but he could go no further and turned back to await an opportunity to reach Nome.

The Helen Johnston encountered heavy ice all the way from Unimak to Rocky Point. From Nome Bering Sea seems to be choked with ice, but there are signs of a break up. No news has been received from the steamship Corwin which left Seattle May 10, and is equipped with wireless.

STEAMER KASLO WILL BE RAISED

Accident to Ainsworth Was Caused by Sudden Squall Swerving Vessel Around on Pile.

NELSON, May 31.—"The steamer Kaslo will be raised at once, and go to the ways at Mirror Lake for repairs," said P. H. Walsh, superintendent of the Great Northern Lake and Rail system in the Kootenay, who is down from Kaslo.

"The accident of Friday at Ainsworth was caused by a sudden squall which swung her stern around, and caused the steamer to ride over the submerged end of the wharf, one of the buffer piles tearing a hole in her bottom. The sudden burst of wind caught her off her guard."

The damage to the steamer is local and she can easily be repaired. She is lying in shoal water in a good position, and is in not particular danger G. H. Hale will start the middle of this week to raise her and the work will probably take a week or ten days He proposes to sink a couple of Yale-Columbia Lumber Company's barges, using them to jack up the stern, when tugs will siphon the water from her hold.

HALIBUT FLEET LOSES MUCH TACKLE

Storms and Other Accidents Cause Loss of Gear—Power Schooner Pilot Rammed.

SEATTLE, May 31.—The halibut fleet off Cape Flattery last week lost $50,000 worth of cables, anchors, buoys and tackle during violent storms, according to vessels arriving here today. The power schooner Pilot was rammed off Dungeness by the steamer Albion and was barely able to reach shore. Ole Stock and Hans Olsen, of the schooner Lester caught a large shark in a trawl. The shark, rising to the surface, struck their dory with its tail, tore off the starboard side and then raced away with the men clinging to the wreck of the boat. They escaped death through parting of the tackle.

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Reserve Placed on All Unalienated Lands in Vicinity of Bruttie's Lake by Provincial Government

At yesterday's sitting of the executive, an order-in-council was passed creating a reserve of all unalienated and unoccupied lands in the vicinity of Buttle's lake for the purpose of the crown, this reserve covering the zone which recently has been a subject of very great interest and of numerous representations on the part of the Natural History Society, the Development League, and other public bodies and private individuals. The intention is understood to be that this reserve shall constitute a magnificent provincial national park for the people of British Columbia, quickly and easily accessible from the chief centres of population upon the completion within the next few years of already projected transportation facilities.

Buttles lake is rated the largest fresh water body within Vancouver island, and is especially distinguished for the magnificence and the variety of its scenic delights, mountains—perpetually snow-crowned—rising from its dense blue waters to a height of from seven to eight thousand feet, while charming waterfalls, majestic glaciers and fairy-like islands afford alluring contrasts.

It is understood to be the intention of the government to carefully preserve the game as well as the unalienated forests of this rare natural park, while possibly some arrangement may be made by which tourists, mountain climbers, and summer visitors generally may enjoy a taste of the unrivalled fishing for which the lake and its turbulent tributaries are far-famed.

In all the essentials of a delightful mountain and lake resort, Buttles lake would seem to have been especially blessed by nature, those who have had the good fortune of visiting this gem in the Vancouver island land of mysteries, declaring enthusiastically that it more than successfully rivals the Lake of the Clouds, Emerald lake and Lake Louise, while being so soon as contemplated transportation facilities are provided, within less than half a dozen hours' travel of either Vancouver or the capital.

PRESENTS CASE OF PULP ENTERPRISE

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to the company for this test. The company was willing to turn out twenty-five hundred tons of pulp before asking the government to ratify the arrangement sought, and this would be contingent upon continuous operation of the mill.

"Suppose the government were to say that if the mill were idle three months the agreement should be automatically cancelled," inquired Commissioner Flumerfelt.

Would Agree to Conditions.

The witness said that his company welcomed any restrictions that would be fair and binding and requisite to safeguard the public.

"Would you then agree to automatic cancellation in the event of the idleness of the mill for three or six months?" asked Mr. Flumerfelt. "Would you regard this as a fair and proper thing for the government to do? If we are going to recommend anything there must be some automatic condition. If the regulations are as drastic and stringent as you suggest, are you prepared to live up to them, and not protest against cancellation?"

The witness suggested that the mills might be idle through war closing the markets.

"How about financial war-panics," asked Mr. Flumerfelt." "How about these closing the avenues of transportation?"

The witness replied that this would not seriously hamper their operations as they would then simply have to build or buy their own boats. They would be willing to agree to the automatic cancellation and not to appeal therefrom to the government because they did not think that the government would impose unfair or hampering conditions which would deny to the company fair chances of success. The company were prepared to enter upon the manufacture almost immediately of sulphide fibre of the same quality as produced in Germany, Austria and Sweden, thus putting the pulp industry upon the basis that it should possess, and they asked for nothing until they had accomplished results.

Conditions on Island.

Mr. W. J. Sutton was the only witness of the afternoon, outlining timber conditions on Vancouver Island in detail and roughly estimating that there are now about three hundred billion feet of available standing commercial timber remaining to British Columbia. The loggers had had too much latitude in the province in the past. Licenses had been taken up here and there, in the valleys, making an unsatisfactory patch-work of the province. He held that timber allotments should be made by berths in order to get solidity of character. Nor was it proper to allow the logger to pick out the choice trees. Thoroughness was essential in the public interest. The eastern system of logging was not applicable in this country. All classes of trees had to be logged at the same time to prevent danger and waste, leaving nothing larger than a twelve-inch minimum butt standing. Jack Pine alone would come in after bad fires, and if not replanted, this weed of the forest would soon obtain control. White pine was suggested as an alternative, to be planted on fire-swept areas, or after clearing. There should be a general provision for dealing with pulp mills, and the government not called upon to make particular arrangements with particular companies. As to cedar and the shingle manufacture industry, Mr. Sutton was emphatic in maintaining that the Washington mills were getting short of their raw material and if the government persevered in its timber protection policy would ultimately have to move to this province. They would not do so as long as they could induce British Columbia to supply them with logs. To lift the embargo on the export of cedar or any other timber in the log would in his opinion be killing the proposition that the government had started to bring about. The loggers were well aware of conditions when they put their logs in the water, and could have held them standing at an ultimate greater profit. British Columbia timber was now in a transition stage and daily becoming a more valuable resource as the general timber famine throughout the United States made itself felt. Mr. Sutton expressed himself as strongly against the timber license system as putting the government in the position of financing the timber speculator. Instead, he advocated actual sale outright with certain safety guarantees.

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Total Amount Realized by the Government Townsite Sale at Stewart Exceeds Most Sanguine Expectations

The Government sale of Stewart townsite lots, which concluded yesterday, realized a total of $430,700. The number of lots placed on the market was 232, the average per lot realized by the sale being approximately $1,856.

The highest price obtained at yesterday's sale was $7,100 for lots 13 and 14 in block 11, the purchaser of these being Mr. J. B. Johnson. The auction was again well attended, nearly 400 would-be purchasers being present when Mr. Stewart Williams resumed the disposal of the lots.

In his opening remarks Mr. Williams paid a high tribute to the assistance which the press had rendered in bringing before the public the advantages and possibilities of Stewart. The newspapers throughout the province, he said, had rendered yeoman service in advertising the sale, and no similar proposition could be brought to the notice of the public in such a manner without the all-powerful aid of the press. It was the same in all enterprises.

Bidding at yesterday's sales was exceedingly brisk. One of the largest purchasers was again Mr. A. Alvensleven, who represents large Vancouver interests. Buyers came from all the nearby towns, while lots were acquired by agents acting for clients as far off as New York and different eastern Canadian cities.

The auction was generally accounted a phenomenal success, as the most sanguine hardly anticipated that the total sale would aggregate more than quarter of a million dollars. The result shows the faith of the general public in the mining properties at the northern camp, and augurs well for the growth of the townsite in which the Provincial Government, the Canadian Northern and the people of British Columbia have shown such an active and ever increasing interest.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL IN SPRING RIDGE

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he was in favor of the Rockland park site but if the people were ready to spend the money for the Spring Ridge site as first proposed he would not object.

Trustee McNeil said that he was at first averse to spending $30,000 for the site after he had stated that he thought $25,000 was all that should be spent for that purpose. But he would agree to the larger sum. From the standpoint of the beautiful he believed the Rockland park site to be the better of the two, but Spring Ridge was much more central and by erecting a high school there the board would be aiding in doing away with a blot upon the city which, while it was in no wise responsible for, should be done away with.

Trustee Riddell was flatly opposed to the Spring Ridge site. The board at a recent meeting had decided to purchase a site in Rockland park and a committee had been appointed to arrange terms of purchase and report back. That committee was ready to report. He asked the chairman for a ruling as to whether action on Trustee Staneland's motion was in order.

After Chairman Jay had ruled Trustee Staneland's motion in order, Trustee Riddell proceeded to criticise the Spring Ridge site, declaring that when the grading, etc., is done and the high school erected the site would be in a hollow with the surrounding properties from five to ten feet higher. To place a building of the value contemplated in such a location would be simply absurd. There were cheaper and better sites available and it would not be necessary to spend nearly two years in preparing them for the building as would have to be the case under the arrangement as advanced by Trustee Staneland.

On the motion being put Trustees Staneland, McNeill and McIntosh voted for while Trustees Mrs. Jenkins, Christie and Riddell were against. Amid a general laugh Trustee Jay was called upon to register his vote which he did in favor of the Spring Ridge site, stating that while he did not favor the Spring Ridge site he favored that in Rockland park still less and accordingly there was nothing for him to do but to choose the former.

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PROVINCIAL HAPPENINGS

Greenwood is to celebrate Dominion Day.

Kamloops now has drop letter boxes.

The Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. will meet in Kamloops on June 7, 8 and 9.

The Tranquille sanatorium is now idle for a lack of funds to furnish it.

The Nicola Valley News is now an eight-page, standard sized, weekly.

President Moyer of the W. F. M., is making a tour of British Columbia.

Shaving costs twenty-five cents and haircutting fifty cents in Fort George.

Potatoes are now $15 a ton in New Westminster.

A ten thousand dollar boarding house is being erected at Coal Creek.

A customs office is to be established at Kitselah during the present summer.

Two large black bears were shot last week within sight of New Denver.

An asbestos mine is being opened up near Peach Cliff in the Okanagan.

Mrs. John McKee of Ladner has just celebrated her ninety-second birthday.

Extensive improvements to the Northport road are contemplated.

Both Elko and Michel are installing water works systems.

Okanagan Falls vineyardists anticipate a very heavy grape crop this season.

The summer schedule of the C. P. R. trains will go into effect on June 15.

Funds are being raised for the erection of a Cottage Hospital at Quesnel.

Many new settlers are taking up land in Voght Valley.

The Nicola Valley board of trade has passed a severe vote of censure upon the Dominion Government telephone service.

The tax rate has been struck at New Westminster at twenty-four mills in the dollar.

Assays of more than seventeen per cent in copper have been obtained from claims near Keremeos.

It costs $68.65 to go from Vancouver to Fort George, a distance of a little over five hundred miles.

A new wagon road is being built around Death Rapids in the Big Bend country.

A movement is on foot at New Westminster to shorten the open hours for all bar-rooms.

A new townsite is being surveyed near Hazelton, three miles below Foley, Welch & Stewart's headquarters.

Rev. George Anderson, now of Scotland, has accepted a call to the Baptist church in Vernon.

It is estimated that one hundred and fifty carloads of fruit will this year be shipped out of Summerland.

Very slight damages have been done by the frost throughout the orchards of the Okanagan.

The Abbotsford Post enjoys the honor of being the newest among the journals of British Columbia.

Renewed complaint is being made by Upper Cariboo of delay in initiating roadwork from Fort George to Quesnel.

The Guggenheims are reported to have acquired options on a number of properties in the Sheep Creek camp.

An Indian named Isaac residing at Shuswap was killed on the railway line near Salmon Arm on Wednesday last.

Kamloops ratepayers are today voting on bylaws for the provision of $30,000 for park purposes.

Grand Forks is contemplating the purchase of the old Yale Hotel site and adjoining property for park purposes.

T. W. Agnew and his partner, Prince Rupert surveyors, were recently rescued from a raft in the Naas straits.

The population of British Columbia is placed at 347,000 by Henderson's Directory.

Drilling is to begin at once on the property of the Nicola Valley Development Co., between Nicola and Merritt.

Active warfare against the mosquito has been declared at Whitehorse. Lakes and swamps will be "doped" with oil.

The Cariboo Observer predicts a population of two thousand for Fort George before the close of the year.

L. Reinecke is to be engaged all summer on the West Fork of the Kettle river doing geological work for the Dominion government.

Lightning struck the roof of the hospital at Greenwood on Tuesday last, the fire being, however, extinguished before any damage was done.

Little Willie Deane fell over a hundred-foot cliff at Chewassin beach on Empire Day and sustained no serious injuries.

Walter Prest of Chilliwack had both legs broken at Vancouver last week, and does not know how it happened. He only knows that he was very drunk.

David Sampson, a well-known rancher of the Nicola Valley, succeeded in riding thirty miles last week with a broken leg, in order to secure surgical assistance.

As a result of a clever bank swindle, the Vancouver branch of the Bank of Hamilton has lost $1540, and one George McMahon alias John Perry is that much the richer.

John Sullivan and James Hoskin have installed a lead-zinc plant at Cranbrook, and will endeavor to solve the problem of treating the ores of the Kootenay by electricity.

Negotiations are pending for the purchase by an English company of the Dundy Lumber company interest at Three Valley, and the timber limits of the Eagle Valley Lumber company.

The Great Northern railway and the service which it provides in this province were severely censured at a recent meeting of the New Westminster board of trade.

In its presentment the New Westminster grand jury has declared that the provincial jail building there should at once be modernized and the court house be considerably enlarged.

An assize jury at New Westminster has acquitted Simon George of wounding with intent another Indian named Siwash Joe, on January 23 last at Chilliwack.

The tower of Holy Trinity Cathedral at Westminster has been condemned as unsafe, and must be replaced at a cost of considerably more than one thousand dollars.

The marriage was celebrated at Ashcroft on Wednesday last of Mr. Edward E. Wilkerson of Nicola Valley and Miss Mary Isabel Burr, eldest daughter of Chief Constable Burr of Yale and Lillooet.

Robins are so numerous at Lofton, B. C., that they are being killed and sold at ten cents a dozen. The "Okanagan" is authority for the statement that one hundred and fifty thousand birds have been slaughtered within the last three weeks.

CANNOT EVADE LAW

Undesirables Make Vain Attempt to Dodge Exclusion Provisions of Immigration Act.

VANCOUVER, May 31.—Persons once rejected by an immigration officer, and who later enter Canada without official permission are subject to arrest, and on conviction, to two years imprisonment to be deported at the expiration of that term.

For the alleged violation of this clause in the new Canadian immigration act, which came into force on May 4, Minnie Parkins and Rose Parkes, alias Mrs. Ewing, of Seattle are here under arrest after a lively chase from Seattle to Prince Rupert and back to Vancouver. The magistrate today granted a remand to enable the prosecution to secure necessary witnesses. On May 20 the women attempted to board the steamer at Seattle for Vancouver, but were rejected by the Canadian immigration inspector there The next day they succeeded in crossing the border by some other route, and arriving in Vancouver took the steamer for Prince Rupert. But a telegram to Dr. Reddie the federal officer at that point, prevented them from landing, their arrest following on return here. These are the first arrests under the new act.

The present act, officers say, is a great advance on the old legislation, its chief feature being the two years penalty and then deportation in all cases in which undesirables secretly enter Canadian territory after having been refused admission. The definition of undesirables is extremely broad, including erring ones, who come in the assisted immigrant class, while any Canadian port or ports can be completely closed to any race of people deemed unsuitable to the climate or requirements of the Dominion, or closed to any special class or character of immigrants whom the authorities may think fit to exclude.

INRUSH OF CHINESE

Recent Heavy Immigration Explained by Rumor of Coming Increase of Head Tax.

VANCOUVER, May 31.—The phenomenally heavy influx of Chinese into Canada through the port of Vancouver, a rush which is netting the Dominion and Provincial governments income at the rate of about $750,000 per annum, was today explained by the receipt of information from Hongkong that a report was in circulation among the Chinese there that Canada intended shortly to increase the head tax on the entry of Chinese from $500 to $1,000.

For the past six or seven weeks customs officials have been somewhat puzzled to account for the inrush of Chinese. Every C. P. R. transpacific steamhas been reaching port with her full allotment of Chinese passengers, the allowance of these steamers in this coolie carrying trade being based on their tonnage. All the Japanese liners reaching Seattle from Chinese ports have also being carrying Chinese to their capacity and aside from the few Celestials who were bound for United States points, these Chinese landed in Seattle have been coming through to Vancouver, principally by boat.

The news from China that the Chinese fear an increase in the head tax by Canada explains the rush. It is erpected that every steamer from the Orient arriving at Vancouver and Seattle for the next few months will be loaded with Chinese for Canada.

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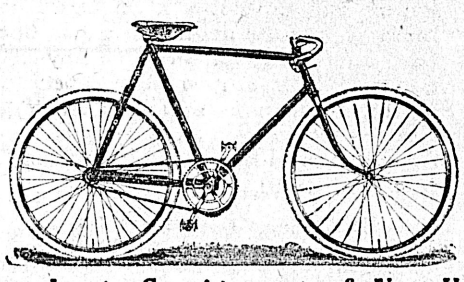

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WANTED—A YOUNG MAN EIGHTEEN years of age as subscription collector for the Colonist. Apply the circulation department.

WANTED — BAKER AND BAKER'S helper. D. M. Hanbury, 705 Fort St.

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WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, THIRD class engineer, must be good fireman and repairman. Apply to Box 903 Colonist.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE

STRONG GIRL WANTED FOR KITCHEN J. Ringsnaw, Cor. Yates and Broad.

WANTED—WAITRESS FOR LIGHT REfreshment and ice cream parlor, 1307 Bread street.

WANTED—LADY HELP FOR COOKING and housework in the country. Apply at once Mrs. Layard, Balmoral hotel.

WANTED—AT ONCE A CAPABLE WOman, one day weekly for laundry work. Apply F. H. Mayhew, 306 Gorge road.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT AT once. Good place, good wages for a capable girl. Apply 502 Kupert street.

WANTED—A WOMAN FOR LIGHT housekeeping. Apply Empress Hotel barber shop.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAITRESS Must be neat and reliable. Apply to King Edward Hotel.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO DO LIGHT housework. Apply room 40 Vernon chambers.

WANTED—NURSEMAID TO CARE FOR two young children, daytime only. Apply room 400 Empress hotel.

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WANTED—SITUATION BY GARDENER by day or permanent, no objection to fruit ranch. Apply box 925 Colonist.

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WANTED—POSITION BY GERMAN-American bartender. Ernest Krater, Brunswick Hotel.

WANTED—OFFICE CLEANING WORK by Japanese. Aibashi, 536 Johnson St.

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SIX roomed house, close to car and beach. Apply 203 Quebec street.

TO LET—SIX ROOMED HOUSE, AND one cottage. Apply 1152 Yates St.

TO RENT—NICE FIVE ROOMED COTtage, electric light, bath, etc. One minute from Spring Ridge car. $16 per month. Box 910 Colonist.

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WANTED—TO RENT.

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A MOTHER AND BABY WOULD LIKE pleasant room and board with a lady who understands children and would be willing to assist in taking care of the baby. Good pay to right party. Box 912 Colonist.

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WANTED—SMALL ACREAGE WITH good six roomed house or bungalow near Victoria. Reply with full particulars to "Occupier" 2125, Fifth Ave, West, Vancouver. Owners only.

PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—ONE LARGE LOT, WATERfront on Victoria harbor, all cleared and partly tilled for kitchen garden, and small fruit trees, besides a three room shack Apply C. Q. M. S. Askey, Work Point barracks.

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FOR SALE—CALGARY, ALTA., 640 ACRE farm; all fenced, house, stable, shed, corrails, running spring all the year round. Part bottom land. The whole property could be ploughed. No bush, no rock, just good soil, splendid crops. This property is 26 miles from Calgary and ten miles from Cochrane on the C.P.R. Price $15 per acre, adjoining land held at $20 per acre. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce avenue.

ALBERNI—FIRST CLASS CORNER business stand for general store. The trade of Alberni valley centres here. To a live business man the opportunity is a rare one. Marcon & Co., Alberni.

ARE YOU WATCHING FORT GEORGE? We are, and can give you original, first hand and reliable information. We advise you to buy lots in Fort George townsite, remember, we are not offering to you an outlying subdivision or addition. Call and let us show you. E. Child & Co. Room 9, 707½ Yates street. P.O. Box 817.

FOR SALE—LOT ON GORGE ROAD, $325 Box 234 Nanaimo, B. C.

FOR SALE—METCHOSIN DISTRICT, small farm, house, barn, chicken houses, 40 fruit trees. Full particulars Apply Mrs. Trenchard, Metchosin, B.C.

YATES STREET—SNAP W½ LOT 973, Blk. 6, $3,000. Third cash, must sell at once. Owner P.O. Box 124 Vancouver.

STEWART LOTS—A BLOCK OF FOUR lots on Second street, close to wharf, a snap at $5,000 for the four. One third cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Apply the owner, P.O. Box 715, Victoria.

$300 CASH, BALANCE $25 MONTH AT six per cent buys an eight roomed house. Price $2200. Almost new, on Moss street. Lot is 50x120. 20 yards from car. Warburton & Co., 909 Government St.

SIX ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN, CLOSE in, snap, good reason for selling, large lot. Apply owner, 1022 Southgate street.

$2500—CASH FOR QUICK SALE, 11 acres Strawberry vale, fenced, shack, well, stock and poultry, tools, good chance for poultry or fruit farm, 636 Colonist.

SOMASS RIVER, ALBERNI, TO BE dredged, we have waterfront lots 50x347 $700, easy terms. Warburton & Co., 909 Government street.

FOR SALE—FINE BUILDING LOT 62x120 1044 Davie street. What offers.

ALBERNI WATERFRONTAGE — THE only waterfrontage for sale, lots 50x347. $800, easy terms. Warburton & Co., 909 Government street. Phone 2171.

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT ALBERNI Bick, Broad street.

ALBERNI—TOWNSITE LOTS ON TUESday. Warburton & Co., 909 Government street. Phone 2171.

SMALL FARM—SOUTH SAANICH, 8½ miles from Victoria on main road, 23 acres, pretty six roomed bungalow, recently painted inside and out, spring water on house, barns, stables, five chicken houses, 200 fruit trees, 1,000 strawberries, kitchen, garden, all small fruits, about six acres in oats and peas and seeded down to clover and grass. 60 chickens, ducks, three incubators, brooders, good family cow and a quantity of farm implements. A genuine going concern. $2,000 takes immediate possession. Price $7,000, 10 years to pay the balance. Apply J. K. Colonist office.

REAL ESTATE

LEE AND FRASER
Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Trounce Avenue.

$2250—WILL PURCHASE A NEW five roomed house and lot near the Jubilee hospital, modern in every respect; this is a snap and is only open for a few days, don't fail to get particulars if you are in the market for a bargain.

THE GLOBE REALTY CO.
Room 7, Mahon Blk. 1112 Government St. Tel. 1613.

$1450—BUYS SEVEN FULL SIZED lots three blocks from the end of the Douglas street car line on Carey road, Terms very easy.

$2100—BUYS A SIX ROOMED FULLY modern house at the end of the Douglas street car line, a number of fruit trees, etc. The lot is 50x125. Terms easy.

DAVIES & LIST
Real Estate and Commission Agents, 615 Yates street, Phone 192.

$6000—FOUR LOTS 60x120 MICHIgan street.

$1100—ONE LOT, 60x120, MICHIgan street.

$700—ONE LOT 60x129½ MICHIGAN street.

THE ABOVE ARE GOOD AS A SPECUlation or an investment. Terms.

$3800—SEVEN ROOMED HOUSE, very convenient, close in, with nice garden. Fruit trees. This is a good bargain, stands on large lot.

$7500—EIGHT ROOMED HOUSE, Linden avenue, stands on lot 55x155. This splendid residence is modern in every way and in a select district.

N.B.—WE HAVE SOME SNAPS IN houses and lots in proposed high school district.

HARDWICK & DEAKIN
1404 Broad St., Phone 2394

$400—SIX ROOMED COTTAGE, FULL basement, large attic, all fenced, three minutes from car. Balance like rent (18)

$400—FOUR ROOMED BRICK HOUSE all modern, walking distance. Balance of $1,600 on very easy terms (59.)

$400—SIX ROOMED HOUSE, TEN minutes from city hall. All modern conveniences. Only $1,800, balance on easy terms. (60.)

$200—CASH, BALANCE OF $400 EASY secures large lot on Grant St. (29)

WE HAVE HOUSES AND LOTS AT ALL prices and on all terms.

IF WE DO NOT HAVE THE HOUSES you want we will build to suit.

THE CAPITAL CITY REALTY COMPANY
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agts. Phone 2162. 618 Yates street.

GRAHAM STREET, TWO LOTS, GOOD view, no rock. This is the best buy on this street. Price $650 each, good terms.

50 ACRES—ALBERNI, SUITABLE FOR subdividing. Price only $76 per acre on easy terms. If you are looking for a subdivision do not fail to look into this property.

VERMILLION LOTS ARE GOING FAST only 20 left. Call for particulars and facts.

H. P. WINSBY,
Room 4, 1203 Government Street

MODERN BUNGALOW, FIVE ROOMS, large basement, near Beacon Hill and sea, 15 minutes to Postoffice. Vancouver St. Terms, $3,100.

SAANICH AND METCHOSIN FARMS

PORT ALBERNI ACREAGE AND LOTS

HEWLINGS & CO.
1109 Broad Street. Phone 1734.

$150—PER ACRE WATERFRONT, Saanich.

$50—PER ACRE FOR 200 ACRES 8½ miles out.

$30—PER ACRE, FOR 300 ODD ACRES 10 miles out.

$1850—FOR COTTAGE ONE MINUTE walk from car, James Bay.

$2000—FOR 150 ACRES SOOKE

$150—PER ACRE FOR 100 ACRE IMproved farm, Saanich.

150 CHOICE LOTS AT ALBERNI, FROM $100 to $200 each

SCOTTISH REALTY CO.
Room 8, Challoner Block, Yates street, next bank. Phone 1403.

18 ACRES ¼ MILE FROM STATION, ALL good soil, two acres cultivated, eight room house, chicken house, good new barn, good water. Very easily cleared. Price only $3,800.

68 ACRES—ON SOUTH PENDER ISLand, 40 acres fine alder bottom land. New built cabin ¾ mile waterfront fine shooting and fishing. Only one mile from Postoffice. Price $2,000 on easy terms.

100 ACRES CLOSE TO DUNCANS, 80 cultivated, finest soil. A going concern. Price $2,500.

A. WILLIAMS & CO., LTD.
704 Yates Street. Phone 1386.

SEVENTY ACRES, WITH GOOD COTtage, stable and chicken house, only seven miles from city, good roads, good water, nice location, cheap $4,000.

FARM—34 ACRES, FINEST OF SOIL, cleared, under crop, good house and outbuildings, considerable stock, four miles from city, $15,000, good terms.

TWENTY LOTS, AT $200 PER LOT, HIGH dry, good land, fine view.

THIRTEEN ACRES, FINE SOIL, NEARLY all cleared, nice new house, good outbuildings, good orchard, a bargain at $8,500.

YATES STREET, GOOD BUILT, AND well arranged five room cottage, and stabling, large lot, close to high school, only $5,000.

SHAW REAL ESTATE CO.
707½ Yates Street. Phone 1094

$450 CASH—TWO DAYS ONLY, SNAP, snap, snap, snap. Little over ½ mile from city hall, block from Quadra St. 1½ blk. from Hillside avenue, high, dry, near school and park. A positive speculation. A beautiful building site. Just investigate.

C. ARTHUR REA
Real Estate, Insurance, Money to Loan, Etc. Phone 1521. Law Chambers Bastion St.

SPLENDID FARM, GOOD HOUSE AND outbuildings, near Cobble Hill Station. All fenced, three good wells, excellent roads, most reasonable price and terms.

HERBERT S. LOTT.
Phone L-1224. Board of Trade Building

$3000—SEVEN ROOMED HOUSE ON Oak Bay ave, with stable.

$2200—SIX ROOMED HOUSE ON Pembroke street, modern with basement and furnace.

$1860—NEW FIVE ROOMED COTTAGE on Denman street. Easy terms.

THE CITY BROKERAGE
1218 Douglas St. (opposite Merchants Bank)

NEAR GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS, LOT 60x150, $1,600.

HINKSON SIDDALL & SON
P. P. Box 177 New Grand Theatre Building. Tel. 869.

LOT CORNER TOPAZ AND PRIOR STS. $550. Terms $250 cash, bal. at 10 per month, interest six per cent.

D. McINTOSH
REAL ESTATE
Mahon Bldg. Phone 1749.

A BUSINESS PROPOSITION—128 FEET on Hillside; 102 feet on Quadra. Two houses rented at $15 per month each, and a brick cottage at $25 per month. Total rent $55. Price $7,000. Terms easy.

PROVINCIAL TAXES

Special Notice to Taxpayers

TAXPAYERS are hereby reminded that **Thursday, 30th June, 1910, is the last day** on which taxes must be paid to the collector in order to be allowed a discount. By an amendment to the Assessment Act passed after all the tax notices were issued an alteration of the rate of discount is permitted, namely 25 per cent. discount is allowed on improved real property, personal property and income for the current year in place of the 10 per cent shown on the notices. When sending your tax to the collector **do not deduct** from the **net** amount shown on Form No. 9 an additional 15 per cent, **but deduct only 25 per cent from the total taxes** on improved real property, personal property and income. There is no alteration on the discount of ten per cent on wild land, coal land and timber land. See that the correct amount is sent early, so that unnecessary correspondence may be avoided. No discount is allowed on arrears.

E. E. LEASON,
Assessor and Collector, Victoria Assessment District.
Victoria, 1st June, 1910.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1900.

I, Mary Gouge, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Four-Mile House, situated on the Metchosin road, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of July, 1910.

(Signed) MARY GOUGE.
Dated this 13th day of May, 1910.

Granite and Marble Works
Monuments, Tablets, Granite Copings, etc., at lowest prices consistent with first class stock and workmanship.
A. STEWART
Cor. Yates and Blanchard Sts.

MANUKA DUE FROM ANTIPODES

Canadian-Australian Liner Is Expected Today — River Clyde Due From Manila and Ports on the Orient, Friday

The steamer Manuka of the Canadian Australian line, which has not been seen here since last summer is expected to reach the outer wharf today from Sydney, Brisbane, Suva, and Honolulu, which port she left on Wednesday of last week. The Manuka left Sydney on May 9th, Brisbane May 12th, Suva May 18, and Honolulu May 25. Many passengers are coming on the Manuka, a number bound to San Francisco.

The steamer River Clyde is the new liner expected after the big passenger liner from the Antipodes. The River Clyde is a big freighter chartered by the Weir line to replace the Suveric while that steamer is undergoing repairs at Hongkong in consequence of damage received while en route from here to Yokohama. She is due here on Friday.

The following day the white liner Empress of India is expected from Yokohama with a good complement of passengers, including His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda and the Maharani of Baroda, and suite on board. There is included in the cargo a big shipment of raw silk consigned to New York.

The Sado Maru of the Nippon Yusen kaisha line is following the C. P. R. liner. She left Yokohama for this port on June 25th, with 46 passengers and 399 tons of general freight for Victoria

AT THE CITY HOTELS

At the Empress—
J. C. Iron, V. Kent, W. A. Clarke, J. Terold and children, Vancouver; A. A. Allen, Tacoma; J. O'Brien, Vancouver; J. A. Kirk, Chemainus; A. B. Foster, Vancouver; F. MacDonald, Sidney; A. F. Dickson, J. Robertson, A. J. Taylor, E. H. Douglas, A. C. Jones, Vancouver; D. Work, New York; A. Callander, G. Ellis, Vancouver; J. T. Sweet, D. Burns, Vancouver; G. Salmon, Montreal; F. H. Breney, J. S. Arnold, Montreal; F. S. Cox, Vancouver; P. Brown, Vancouver; G. H. Delpach, Morpeth; W. Lester, Vancouver; D. E. Griffith, Seattle.

At the King Edward—
Mrs. J. Meanies, Bert Guffurt, Seattle; A. Leakey, Somenos; A. C. Stewart, Vancouver; T. A. Smith, Nanaimo; Bert Morris, Los Angeles; F. M. Stark, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Birch, North Saanich; Amos Lovelace, Vancouver; A. E. Mely, J. H. Folsom, Seattle; Wilson Ballartine, San Francisco; E. Reynolds and wife, Buffalo; W. Kien, W. P. Campbell, Duncans.

At the Dominion—
D. M. McCallum, Vancouver; J. R. Theiss, Oakland; Mrs. Yates, A. Johnson, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. Henry Fey, Northfiled, Mass.; Mrs. J. W. Wilkins, Portland; A. G. Carleton, Boston; P. H. Moore, San Francisco; Wm. Chadwick and wife, Lancashire, Eng.; J. W. Rayment, C. L. Copp, R. Wylie, A. W. Chalker, G. E. Billings, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. D. McLean, Vancouver; Geo. H. Moore, Mayne, B. C.; H. J. Trueman, Mrs. A. Ingle and son, Vancouver; Geo. E. Wilson, Montreal; S. G. Stilton, Vancouver T. Howard, Vancouver; S. Cornelius, San Francisco; Jas. W. Hay, Geo. Wemer, Vancouver; C. E. McMillan, R. J. Esplen, W. J. Esplen, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Floom, Mrs. L. E. Floom Carberry, Man.; C. Lauriete, Trail, B. C.; F. Verdier, Saanich; E. C. Clarke, F. C. McGuire, Vancouver; A. A. McCallum, Seattle; Wm. Boyd, Nanaimo; George Bolen, Seattle; D. A. Richardson, Spokane; Wm. A. Gan, Berkeley, Cal.; E. Elliott, Seattle; Thomas Lense and wife, Winnipeg; Mrs. J. C. Kennip, A. M. McDonald, Vancouver.

At the Victoria—
F. Roberts, Vancouver; J. Broth, Ladner, B. C.; Ed Cavanagh, Vancouver; J. McCormick, Sidney, B. C.; Ed Forest, Portland; Wm. McClure, Mark McMcClure, Shelton, Wash.; Thomas Frankwan, John Colley, Sidney Island; Chas. Van Norman, Duncans; P. R. Mullins and wife, Vancouver; H. McKee, Yorktown; J. Armstrong, McLeod; William Burke, George Stimatt, New Westminster; A. R. Gardner, Seattle; Wm. Dobbin, Vancouver; H. Hansburge, Moosejaw; James McCurdy, Boston; J. McAdam, Lillooet.

At the Balmoral—
J. W. Jones, H. A. Collison, Cedar Hill; John Drince, Prince Rupert; Geo. de Maine, Ganges; Mrs. Shaw, Salt Spring Island.

Valuable Lumber Mill and Property for Sale

Under the powers contained in a mortgage dated the 7th day of January, 1909, and registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office in Charge Book Vol. 18, Fol. 358, No. 13336-D and in a chattel mortgage dated the 12th February, 1909, the mortgagees offer for sale by tender the following property, namely:

West portions of sections eleven (11) and twelve (12), range six (6), Cowichan District, B. C., containing sixty-six (66) acres, more or less, with the mill and buildings thereon known as Genoa mill, the same being situate in Cowichan Bay, together with the mill machinery, boilers, engines, saws, goods, chattels and effects in, about and belonging to the mill. Tenders are invited for the purchase of the above property, the same to be sent in sealed envelopes marked "tender for Genoa Mill," to the undersigned on or before July 1st, 1910.

The vendors reserve the right to refuse to accept all or any tenders.

Dated May 25th, 1910.
POOLEY, LUXTON & POOLEY,
Chancery Chambers, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Vendors.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT 1900.

I, Joseph Ball, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Howard Hotel, situated at Esquimalt in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of July, 1910.

(Signed) JOSEPH BALL.
Dated this 4th day of May, 1910.

Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by the Admiralty Agent, will sell by public auction at H. M. Navy Yard, Esquimalt, on Wednesday, June 8th, at 11 o'clock, a quantity of Naval Stores, including 755 3-lb. shells, 355 4-inch shells, 408 1-inch shells, 3 large awnings, 300 lbs. oatmeal, hammocks, blankets, overcoats, oilskins, kegs, iron drums, tinware, en. ware, leggings, leather and canvas hose, 27ft. whaling boat (suitable for an engine), tunics (new), 148 yards of new naval cloth, 24 horsehair mattresses, curtains, serge remnants, 150 new towels, 60 new pairs of men's drawers, flags, diver's dress including helmet, speaking tube and pump, brass, copper and zinc ammunition boxes, half-ton steel wire hawsers, old rubber, 4 tons of rope (some new), and other goods too numerous to mention. On view Tuesday, June 7th.

For further particulars apply to
The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by Thos. D. Veitch, Esq. (Manager of the Royal Bank), who has been promoted to Halifax, will sell by public auction at his residence, "Fair Oaks," Cloverdale ave., on

Thursday, June 9th

At 11 o'clock sharp

His house, known as "Fair Oaks," consisting of five bedrooms, dining-room, drawing-room, smoke room, kitchen, pantries, bathroom, w.c., large basement and stable containing three stalls and coachhouse, situated in 2½ acres of beautiful grounds, either with or without the furniture, which is absolutely new, having recently cost over $3,000.

Further particulars can be obtained from

The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

DAVIES & SONS
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by W. Dewar, 516 Hillside avenue, to sell the whole of his

Furniture and Effects
FRIDAY, 2 p. m.

Particulars later.

H. W. Davies Auctioneers

Maynard & Son
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed, we will sell, at Salesroom, 1314 Broad street, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 3rd
2 p.m.

Almost New and Costly

Furniture and Effects

Being the contents of a newly furnished cottage, removed for convenience of sale. Particulars later.

Also in lot next door

HORSES, COWS, CHICKENS, WAGONS, BUGGIES, HARNESS ETC. SHETLAND PONY

Two tons of Saanich Potatoes.

MAYNARD & SON Auctioneers

PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS.

Steel Fittings—Vaults.

SEALED TENDERS, indorsed "Steel Fittings, Vaults, Parliament Buildings," accompanied by plans and specifications addressed to the Minister of Public Works, will be received up to noon of Saturday, the 11th day of June next, for furnishing and setting in place, steel shelving, etc., required for the vaults of the Department of Public Works and Department of Lands in the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Intending tenderers shall take their own measurements of the vaults, and upon application to the Deputy Commissioner of Lands and to the undersigned will be given information as to the requirements of each department.

Each tender shall have enclosed therewith an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Minister of Public Works, in the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000), which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for.

Tenders will not be considered unless complying with the terms above stated, made out on the form supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelope furnished.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
May 26, 1910.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the Victoria School Board up to 4th June for the dressing and erection of six Flag Poles. Specifications to be seen at the office of the board.

ISABELLE MOORE,
Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for the construction of the first section of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway from New Westminster easterly for a distance of sixty miles. Tenders to include the grading, bridging, masonry, track laying, ballasting, and erection of telegraph line.

Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen and tender forms procured at the office of T. H. White, chief engineer, room 15, 135 Hastings street, West, Vancouver.

Total work to be completed by June 1st, 1911, and tenders to be received at our office Toronto, not later than June 15th, 1910.

MACKENZIE, MANN & CO., Ltd.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement works, authorized by Bylaw, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

ARC LIGHT EQUIPMENT

Tenders will be received up to Monday, June the 13th, at 4 p. m., for the supply of plant, consisting of Lamps, Transformers, Switch Boards, etc., as per specifications, which can be seen at the office of the undersigned, to whom tenders shall be sent.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, May 26th, 1910.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Monday, June 13th, for the building of a dwelling at Smith's Hill Reservoir for the use of the caretaker, in accordance with plans and specifications which can be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, to whom tenders must be sent.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT
Supt. of Public Buildings for the City of Victoria.
City Hall, May 31st, 1910.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., March 31st, 1910.

Court of Revision

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment as made by the Assessor, and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., May 19th, 1910.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has made application to the Governor in Council for approval of the construction of an extension of its wharf in James Bay in the harbor of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia and that plans thereof and a description of the site of the proposed extension have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Victoria in the said province.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1910.

W. R. BAKER, Secretary.
Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

IN THE MATTER of an application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Lots 236, 229 and that part of Lot 237, having a frontage of 73 feet on Broughton street and 73 feet on Gordon street, Victoria City.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to said land issued to Thomas Barlow on the 25th day of October, 1907, and numbered 16232C.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., the 6th day of May, 1910.

NOTICE

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY hereby give notice that one month from date hereof, they will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of their license for selling intoxicating liquors at the premises known as The Hudson's Bay House, situated at Telegraph Creek, in the district of Cassiar, to commence the 1st day of July, 1910.

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY,
Per JAS. THOMSON.
April 27, 1910.

Tenders for Painting

Will be received by the undersigned until noon of Wednesday next, June 1st, 1910, for painting eight schools for the Saanich School Board.

Further particulars and specifications on application to

WILLIAM CAMPBELL, sec.
ROYAL, OAK.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Hospital for the Insane, Coquitlam. Competitive.

NOTICE is hereby given that the time for receiving competitive designs for the laying-out of the grounds of the new Hospital for the Insane, Coquitlam, is extended up to and including Monday, the 6th of June, 1910.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., May 13th, 1910.

LIQUOR LICENCE ACT, 1900.

I, John Southwell, hereby give notice that one month from date I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal, to commence on the 1st day of July, 1910, of my licence to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Oak Dell House Hotel, situated at Colwood in the District of Esquimalt.

(Signature) JOHN SOUTHWELL.
Dated this 7th day of May, 1910.

NOTICE

TENDERS will be received up to and including Friday, June 10th, 1910, at Stewart, B. C., by the Cassiar Construction Co., Limited, for clearing and grading about 15 miles of the Portland Canal Short Line Ry. Profiles and specifications can be seen at the office of the company at Stewart, B. C. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THE CASSIAR CONSTRUCTION CO., LIMITED,
W. H. GRANT,
General Manager.

NOTICE

I, Alexander Simpson hereby give notice that one month from the date hereof I will apply to Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of my license for selling intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Half Way House hotel, situated at Esquimalt, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of July, 1910, and for a transfer of the license to Charles Wesley Davey.

A. SIMPSON.

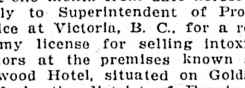
Warehouse to Rent

TWO-STORY AND BASEMENT, BRICK BUILDING No. 510 Johnson street, backing to C. P. R. freight platform. Now occupied by B. C. Hardware Co. Apply the owner

A. G. SARGISON,
Room 1, Promis Block, Victoria, or P. O. Box 715.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve established over those portions of Lot 170, Queen Charlotte District, by reason of the surrender of said portions out of special timber licenses Nos. 31949 and 31948, surveyed respectively as Lots 633 and 317, Queen Charlotte District, is cancelled for the purpose of effecting a sale of said Lot 170, Queen Charlotte District, comprising 36 acres, more or less, to the Pacific Coast Fisheries, Limited. ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., April 19th, 1910.



Notice to Contractors

House for Engineer and Pump Station, Hospital for the Insane, Coquitlam.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Brick House for Engineer and Pump Station," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to and including 6th day of June, 1910, for the erection and completion of a brick house for Engineer and Pump Station.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 14th day of May, 1910, at the offices of the Government Agent, New Westminster; Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver; and the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 12th May, 1910.

NOTICE

I, Wilfrid Miller, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of my license for selling intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Goldstream hotel, situated at Goldstream, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence first day of July, 1910.

(Signed) WILFRID MILLER.
May 19th, 1910.

NOTICE

I, Dan Campbell, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of my license for selling intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Colwood Hotel, situated on Goldstream road, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence first day of July, 1910.

(Signed) DAN CAMPBELL.
May 9th, 1910.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders will be received by the undersigned on behalf of Lawrence Goodacre, the executor of the estate of John Kennedy, deceased, for the purchase of Lot Two (2) part of Section 31, Esquimalt District (now Victoria City) Map 232, all tenders to be delivered or mailed by registered post to the undersigned up to the 9th day of June, 1910.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1910.

MORESBY & O'REILLY,
Solicitors for the said Executor of said Estate.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay avenue, on Saturday, 14th May, 1910, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the assessor and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

Notice of any complaint, stating the ground of complaint, must be given in writing to the assessor at least ten days before the date of the annual sitting of the court.

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IN THE MATTER of the "Navigable Waters' Protection Act," being Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906:

TAKE NOTICE that the British Canadian Securities Limited in pursuance of Section 7 of the abovenamed act have deposited the plans of work and description of the proposed site thereof, to be constructed upon part of and in front of lots 2 and 3, in block 70, Victoria City, in the Province of British Columbia, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia, being the Registrar of Deeds for the District in which such work is proposed to be constructed, and have made application to the Governor in Council for approval thereof.

AND TAKE NOTICE that at the expiration of one month from date hereof application will be made to the Governor in Council for approval thereof.

DATED at Victoria, British Columbia, this 2nd day of May, 1910.

HANINGTON & JACKSON,
Solicitor for Applicants.

Notice to Contractors

Transmission Line, Hospital for Insane, Coquitlam.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Transmission Line," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to and including Monday, the 6th day of June, 1910, for the construction of a Transmission Line for the purpose of furnishing electricity for the Hospital for the Insane at Coquitlam.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 14th day of May, 1910, at the offices of the Government Agent at New Westminster; the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver; and at the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any bidder not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 12th May, 1910.

Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of William J. Dobson, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late William J. Dobson, who died on the 13th day of April, 1910, in Victoria, B.C., are requested to send by post prepaid or delivered to the undersigned, executors for the above estate, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature and securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the first day of July, 1910, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1910.

HILTON & COCKRAN,
Box 484, Kamloops, B. C.
Executors for the Estate.

For Sale or Lease

Soldiers and Sailors Home, Esquimalt

The trustees of the above property—comprising a large three-storey building and one acre of land, most favorably situated on Esquimalt and Admirals roads—are prepared to receive offers in writing, for either the sale or lease of the above valuable property. Particulars may be obtained by addressing

THE SECRETARY,
Soldiers and Sailors' Home,
Beaumont Post Office, Victoria, B.C.
or at The Home, by appointment
Neither the highest nor any offer necessarily accepted.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of John Kennedy, Deceased, and in the Matter of the "Trustees and Executors Act."

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late John Kennedy, who died on the 29th December, 1909, in Victoria, B. C., are required to send by registered post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Lawrence Goodacre, the executor of the above estate, full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts, and the nature thereof, and the securities (if any) held by them duly verified by Statutory declaration:

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 1st day of June, 1910, the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which said executor shall then have had notice.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1910.

MORESBY & O'REILLY,
Of Imperial Bank Chambers, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the said Executor.

Our Candy Dept. Supplies You With All That's Pure and Wholesome.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED.

Our Chocolates Are Made Fresh Daily on the Premises.

Cool and Becoming Suits and Dresses for Summer Days

The past few days of warmth has tended to draw a rush of patrons to the Wash Suit, Lingerie Dress and Blouse Sections. Our immense stocks and great range of variety, coupled with the special sale prices which are now prevailing, will soon result in the clearance of many of the most desirable lines in Summer garments or in the materials for making them. Today, we are offering a very special bargain in Cotton Wash Suits. We may not be able to duplicate in prices or style, even if we were able to procure a second consignment, so the advisability of making a special effort to come here this morning should be quite apparent.

Boys' Blouses at 50c

Another splendid shipment of **Boys' Blouses**, direct from Belfast, has just been opened up. These range in sizes from 3 to 8 years. Mostly dark patterns. Just the kind for the little fellow to romp around in. Special price today at .....**50¢**

A Better Assortment of Stylish Costumes Could Not Be Found. Special at $13.75

At $13.75 were are showing in our Government Street windows a number of the finest suits that has been our good fortune to show, that is to say at the price. They are the season's very best and latest styles, made of the finest material in its respective grade, in practically all colors and sizes. The coats are from 32 to 36 inches in length, while the skirts are all the new tunic and pleated effects. Special price **$13.75**

Beautiful and Elaborately-Trimmed Hats at $4.50. Worth at Least $10 and $12

There is not the least room for an excuse that you cannot get a good stylish Summer Hat, that is to say if price, quality and distinctiveness count for anything, for these are without doubt splendid bargains. They combine the season's latest and most dainty touches, very prettily trimmed with feathers and ribbons, making them, to say the least, very attractive. They are made of light weight weight straws of every color. Specially priced at **$4.50**

Children's Pinafores, Reg. 50c and 75c, Today, 25c

Children's Pinafores at one-half and one-third their regular price will be one of the main features of our Whitewear Section Today. They are made of good, strong, serviceable heavy print and ginghams, nicely trimmed with white soutache braid. Sizes range from 2 to 14 years. Regular price 50c and 75c. Today .....**25¢**

Japanese Mats at Economical Prices

Three different and well assorted lines of **Japanese Mats** go on sale Today at very special prices. They are in a large variety of colorings, in sizes of 1½ x 3 ft. .....**55¢**
2 x 4 ft. at **$1.00**
2½ x 5 ft., at **$1.50**

Some Wash Suits Are Afraid of Laundry Tubs.

These Are Not, and Sold Regularly for $6.75 and $7.50. Today, $3.90

At $3.90, we are selling a Handsome, Tailored Wash Suit. These are made of fine English cotton repp with pleated skirt. They are in white and blue shades with contrasting shades of stripes. They are mostly two-piece effects, although some are of the jumper style, and can be worn without the coats. These we have been regularly selling at $6 75 and $7.50, but, today, we are offering you your choice at

$3.90

You Will Have to Hurry Now for Lousienne Silk. 300 yds. on Sale, Today at 25c. Usual Price 50c

Dress lengths after dress lengths of fine **Lousienne Silk** is hurrying out of this store. The present warm weather makes it imperative that light dresses must be worn. Especially is this true in regards to this particular line of material, but we want to clear the balance which we have on hand today, therefore we are offering it at, per yard .....**25¢**

Half Price Sale of Books in Sets, Today

Works by the world's greatest writers, all nicely bound in half-morocco, at half price, will be the leading feature of our Book Department today. These sets are listed at $2.50 per volume and considered low in price at that. They are profusely illustrated and printed on exceptionally fine paper. Today the price per volume is but $1.25, or in sets at the following tremendous reductions:

- 1 **Set of Balzac**, 18 volumes complete. Regular $40.00. Special **$20.00**
- 1 **Set of Charles Dickens**, 18 volumes complete. Regular $40.00. Special price **$20.00**
- 1 **Set of Scott**, 12 volumes complete. Regular $30.00. Special **$15.00**
- 1 **Set of Victor Hugo**, 10 volumes complete. Regular $25.00. Special **$12.50**
- 1 **Set of Robert Louis Stevenson**, 10 volumes complete Regular $25.00. Special **$12.50**
- 1 **Set of Thackeray**, 10 volumes complete. Regular $25.00. Special.....**$12.50**
- 1 **Set of Shakespeare**, 13 volumes complete. Regular $27.50. Special price **$13.75**
- 1 **Set of Kipling**, 19 volumes, morocco. Regular $28.50. Special **$25.00**

Men's and Youths' Pants, Reg. $1.50 and $2, Today, at $1.25

Men's and Youths' Pants of exceptionally good quality go on sale Today at special saving prices. These are mostly tweeds and fancy worsteds, in stripes and neat patterns. These regularly sell at $1.50 and $2.00. Today at **$1.25**

300 Yards of Fine Silk to Go, Today, at Half Price. Reg. 50c for 25c

Another one of Spencer's popular Silk sales is scheduled to take place Today. This lot comprises about 300 yards of fine stripe Lousienne Silk. Th is we usually sell at 50c. Today .....**25¢**

Men's Suits, Very Special at $10

At $10.00 we are offering a very special bargain indeed in Men's Suits. They are stylish, with any amount of snap to them. The materials combine only that which is thoroughly reliable. In fact, we are satisfied that should you travel over the whole province, you would be unable to duplicate these values. The extremely fine failoring and finish make them an ideal suit for the business man for everyday wear. Just drop into our Men's Clothing Department today. You will find a most pleasant surprise awaiting you.

Men's Long Duster Coats, $3.50 and $4.50

A good **Duster** is a quick necessity these days. Our selection is a wide and most varied one, consisting only of what is strong and serviceable. They are in greys and fawns, in double-breasted effects. Priced at from $3.50 to **$4.50**
Men's and Youths' White Duck Pants, $1.25 and **$2.00**
Men's Flannel and Outing Pants, in white, grey stripes and English homespuns at $2.50 to **$2.75**
Men's Alpaca Coats, just the kind for warm weather, in blacks and blacks with neat grey stripe, $2.00 and **$2.75**

A 5c per Yard Saving on Prints, Today. Reg. 15c Values for 10c

But to make this substantial saving, it will be necessary for you to be here early This morning. It consists of a splendid assortment of staple patterns in mostly light colors, all 36 in. wide. A number of these are heavily corded, which makes them an ideal material for the making up of Summer dresses. These we usually sell at 15c. Today to make this department busy they are marked at, per yard .....**10¢**

Shoes for the Little Ones at Small Prices. Today, 75c

75c is indeed a very small amount of money to pay for a good serviceable pair of Slippers for the little one. This morning we are offering you the choice of a splendid assortment of Strap and Lace Slippers. These have light turned soles, in patent leather, either tan, black or red, all sizes up to size 10. Our Shoe Department is really a money-saving place for the economist. This is evidenced by the ever-increasing trade being done. But be here sharp this morning and take advantage of this offering for the little ones.

Announcement

We take pleasure in announcing that hereafter "The Ladies' Home Journal Patterns and Style Books" may be had at this store.

The progressive spirit of this store is again made manifest in the adoption of The Ladies' Home Journal Patterns.

These patterns are as superior to all others as electric light is to candle light.

They present the most advanced styles, are designed by people who have made this art a life study and who keep in constant touch with the leading fashion centres.

They are perfect fitting—each size being drafted—are economical of material, and yet the patented Guide Chart which goes with each pattern so simplifies the cutting and fitting that the home dressmaker can retain the style of the design as has never before been possible with any paper pattern. Price of patterns, **10¢** and **15¢**.

The Monthly Style Book Free

Men's Soft Merino Underwear at 50c

A specially fine selection of **Men's Fine Soft Merino Shirts and Drawers** is to be seen here, marked unusually low. These are in natural shades. Just the kind for Summer, being medium weight, extra strong wearing quality. These are marked for Today's selling at, per garment .....**50¢**

Four Lines of Lace Bed Spreads on Sale, Today. Reg. Values $6.75, $7.50 and $9.50 for $2.50

That we mean to make a clean sweep of those lines Today is evidenced by the tremendously reduced prices. Of course there is a reason for doing this: the policy of this store is always to clear out broken lines in order not to carry them over from season to season, and then, too, these are a little soiled through handling. They are to be seen in our Broad Street windows. Regular $6.75 to $9.50. This morning, **$2.50**. They are full size, in Irish point lace and applique.

Lace Bed Spreads, Reg. $9.50 to $12.75 for $5.75

At less than half price. These are in white, primrose, cream and ecru. Made of heavy applique and Irish point lace. They are splendid quality and value extraordinary. Regular $9.50 to $12.75. This morning **$5.75**

Lace Bed Spreads at $1. Regularly Sold at $2

$1.00 seems a ridiculously low price to pay for a good Bedspread. Yet Today offers you this splendid opportunity. They are full size, one-piece spread, and a quality which we sell regularly at $2.00. But we have decided to place them on sale along with the others at eactly half price.

Heavy Battenburg Lace Bed Spreads, Reg. $12.50 for $7.50

The minute you set eyes on these you will want one, and the best of it is, you can get them at a great saving. They are made of white Bobbinette and heavy Battenburg. This lot is all new, crisp merchandise. Regularly sold at $12.50. This morning **$7.50**

Summer Hosiery at 25c

We have the largest and best selection of Hose in Western Canada.

For today we will specialize our leading lines at **25¢** per pair.

Ladies' Tan Cotton Hose, fine velvet finish, with high spliced heels and toes. Sizes 8½, 9, 9½ and 10. Pair .....**25¢**
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, wide ribbed tops, full fashioned legs, double soles, fast black, stainless dye. Pair .....**25¢**
Ladies, Plain Black Cotton Hose, with white feet, high spliced ankles and double toes and heels. All sizes. Pair .....**25¢**
Ladies' Cotton Hose, full fashioned legs, reinforced heels and toes, fast, stainless dyes. Colors are white, sky, ox-blood, navy blue, tan and black. Pair .....**25¢**
Boys' Heavy Cotton Hose, with double legs. Just the thing for school wear. Fast black dyes. All sizes. Pair.....**25¢**

Solid Oak Bureaus Priced, Today, at $11

Just stop and consider for a moment what this means to you, a solid oak, well finished and splendid appearing **Oak Bureau** at $11.00. They are Colonial shaped, have large bevelled plate mirror at back, on new style standards, and fitted with two full length drawers, also two small top drawers. Special this morning **$11.00**